

## SOO RAILROAD DIVISIONS ARE COMING

**President Pennington Grants Prayer of Stevens Point Petitioners—Both Freight and Passenger Divisions Will be Established Here.**

## STORAGE CAPACITY FOR FIVE THOUSAND FREIGHT CARS

**Making Largest Railway Yards on Entire System—Hundreds of Families to be Added to Our Population.**



ENGINE RIGHTLY NAMED FOR STEVENS POINT'S FUTURE

There was much rejoicing in Stevens Point yesterday when it was learned that the Soo, or the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie railway company, would establish division headquarters in this city. This had been hoped for and predicted by those of an optimistic turn of mind for some time, but it was not until Tuesday morning, when Mayor F. A. Walters returned from Minneapolis, where he had a conference with President Pennington and other officials of the road, whom he met as per appointment the day before, that the uncertainty was changed to a pleasant certainty. The change will include both passenger and freight divisions, and will at once, or as soon as the details can be formulated, possibly within a month or two, bring from 150 to 250 families to Stevens Point, which means a material increase in population as well as in revenue to be expended here. Those who will remove to this city from other points will include passenger and freight conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen, both married and single, many of them being former residents who will be pleased to get back and whom we can welcome with open arms.

As soon as the changes are made the runs will be about as follows: Passenger crews from Chicago to Stevens Point and from Stevens Point to Minneapolis, Ashland and Superior; freight runs from Chicago to Waukegan, Waukegan to Fond du Lac, Fond du Lac to Stevens Point, Stevens Point to Irvine or Chippewa Falls, etc. There will also be other freight divisions on the old and new lines in addition to those already established.

For several weeks E. W. Sellers had been quietly at work securing options on land that could be used for additional track room in the event that the company could be prevailed upon to recognize Stevens Point's wishes. He did not do this under the instructions of anyone connected with the railway company, but on behalf of the city, after consultation with Mayor Walters and others, when it was learned that we might be considered favorably. These options include lands on both sides of the main right-of-way, east of Minnesota avenue and as far as the Plover river, south of the track to Patch street and 40 feet in width on the north side of the tracks. The lands include 13 acres bought from R. H. Butterfield, 1 acre from V. P. Atwell, 7 acres from the S. H. Alban and G. N. Doty estates, 28 acres from Michael Krusch, 10 acres from W. N. Wiley and a fraction over 21 acres from E. W. Sellers, making a total of nearly 69 acres. Of this about 52 acres have been turned over to the railroad company, while Mr. Sellers retains the balance. The total amount paid was about \$3,000, less about \$3,400 for the lands Mr. Sellers retains. He turned the property over to the Soo company at exactly the same price he paid the original owners, without receiving anything for his work except the well wishes of a grateful public.

This will be one of the largest yards on the entire system, giving the Soo company storage room for over 5,000 cars, and will be a great relief to the crowded condition in which they have long been. The company will also establish a pumping station either on the Plover or Wisconsin river banks, surveys to both streams having recently been made, and will have their own system of waterworks throughout and complete.

The establishing of division headquarters here will also mean the employment of men to do repair work on cars, engines, etc., and the capacity of the present roundhouse will be enlarged at once, the extension being built on the east side. It will also bring several dispatchers, telegraph operators and other office employees, together with their families. Citizens of Marshfield, Medford, Owen and Ladysmith made an effort to have the division located in their respective towns, but Stevens Point has won out, mainly through our superior natural advantages, having an abundance of good water, to be secured from two near by rivers, while as said before, the company has been able to secure level lands for one of the largest yards on its entire system.

In conversation with Mayor Walters

on Monday, President Pennington spoke very nicely of our city and citizens and said he long felt that the company should do something for Stevens Point in recognition for what the city and county had done for the old company in the past. The good will of President Pennington and all other officials of the Soo is certainly appreciated by our citizens, and we further recognize that this city has always had a staunch friend in W. H. Killen, general land commissioner for the road, who has done much to bring about this result. It is a well known fact that the Soo system is one of the greatest in the country, consisting of several thousand miles of road in this country and Canada, and the line through this city, known in the past as the Wisconsin Central, will be an outlet from the great north, west and northwest and a feeder for the east, with scores of both freight and passenger trains passing over its tracks daily. The road is yet but in its infancy, and the present management will expend millions annually in improvements and extensions. The securing of this division is but the beginning, it is predicted, and greater things may be in store for Stevens Point.

The following petition, signed by our city officials, owners of manufacturing institutions, business men and citizens generally, was taken to Minneapolis Sunday night by Mayor Walters and presented to President Pennington:

Stevens Point, Wis., July 15, 1910.  
To Mr. E. Pennington, President Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Co., Minneapolis, Minnesota.

The undersigned officials, business men and residents of the city of Stevens Point, Wisconsin, respectfully petition and represent as follows:

We desire to express our great faith and confidence in, and most earnest good will towards yourself and your railway company.

We will continue to strive and co-operate with you in every way possible for the success of your great railway system.

We earnestly urge you, if you can find it compatible with your railway interests, to make the city of Stevens Point a division point of your railway system.

We feel we have certain natural advantages here, such as plentiful water of superior quality, level country for yards, advantageous soil with good drainage. We believe that our location on your line of railway by itself is sufficient to urge consideration of this city as a division point.

If you should select our city, we, as officials, business men and property owners of said city, pledge ourselves and the city of Stevens Point, to vacate Wisconsin avenue in said city where it crosses your right of way.

generally are of the opinion that Michigan avenue subway will provide sufficient means of travel to and from the southeast, and it will not be necessary to put in the Minnesota avenue subway for years.

Mayor Walters was accompanied to Minneapolis by Mr. Killen, and after meeting President Pennington and enjoying a pleasant visit, the above petition was presented. Mr. Pennington thereafter granted the requests heretofore mentioned, and a meeting of the official board unanimously ratifying the action was held at the company offices in Minneapolis last evening.

### Thursday's Band Concert.

The program for the band concert at court house park tomorrow evening is published below:

March—"Marconigram"..... Allen Overture—"Rossiter's No. 3"..... Alford Waltzes—"The Dreamer"..... Keith Baritone Solo—"Silver Threads Among the Gold"..... Danks Claude Eagleburger Characteristic—"A Country Dance"..... Brown March—"On the Bleachers"..... Laige

## WAS RUN DOWN BY TRAIN

**Anton Worzalla Killed by Train on Soo Line at Early Hour Last Monday Morning.**

The engineer and fireman of a west bound freight train on the Soo, at about 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, discovered the remains of a man lying between the rails a short distance east of the Wisconsin river bridge. The train was stopped and backed up to the passenger station, Coroner Boston being notified by telephone and took charge of the body. An examination showed that the man's chest had been badly crushed, while the left leg was nearly severed and numerous cuts and bruises disfigured the blood-covered corpse.

For several hours no one could be found who could positively identify the body, but later it was ascertained that it was that of Anton Worzalla, and relatives who were called confirmed the identity. He had been out of the city most of the time for two or three years, returning a few days ago, and was about the streets on Monday afternoon dressed in his best attire. In conversation with his brother, Charles, of this city, he stated that he would go to Marshfield to seek employment and had evidently changed his apparel, gone to the depot and boarded a west bound train, from which he fell, or started out to walk and was struck by an east bound train. Some of his clothing, which he had formed into a bundle, was found near the passenger station, where it had been carried by the cars, and the condition of the body showed that it had been rolled or dragged for some distance. While there are no special indications of foul play, it is supposed that Worzalla had money on his person when he started away, he having been employed in Milwaukee for some time before his return to this city.

The deceased was 30 years of age last May, had lived in this county practically all of his life, and had been married twice, his first wife dying several years ago and from the second he had separated. The latter, Mrs. Rose Fliss, together with their two children, lives at Menasha. His mother, Mrs. Anton Monian, lives on Franklin street in this city, and there are also six brothers and a sister, Joseph of Carson, Michael of Hull, John and Alex of Rhinelander, Charles of this city, Casimir of Plover and Mrs. Mike Nigbor of this city.

The funeral took place from St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock this morning. Rev. Father Elbert officiating, with interment in the parish cemetery.

### Rev. Sundby to Remain.

Rev. G. A. Sundby, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church in this city and the Norwegian Lutheran church at Amherst, received a call last week from Rio, asking him to take charge of the church there, together with two other churches in that vicinity. Rev. Sundby, who is a most popular, able pastor, did not resign, as has been stated, nor even take the matter under advisement, but simply told his parishioners the contents of the Columbia county call. A meeting of both congregations was held last Sunday, when a unanimous request was made to have Rev. Sundby remain and he will no doubt do so.

### Death of Former Resident.

George Simons, of Colby, made a brief stop in this city today while on his way to the Veterans' Home near Waupaca where he was called by the death of his mother, Mrs. E. C. Allen, who passed away at 11:40 o'clock last night. The lady's first husband was W. E. Simons, who followed the calling of a stone mason here for about twenty years and whose remains are now buried in Forest cemetery. Shortly after Mr. Simons' death some fifteen years ago, the widow entered the Veterans' Home. She was married there four or five years ago to Mr. Allen, who also served his country in the civil war. The deceased lady leaves a daughter and two sons, Mrs. Lester Warner of the town of Plover, Geo. Simons of Colby and Robert Simons of Kennebec, Wash. A sister lives in St. Louis and a brother at Leavenworth, Kas. Robert is believed to be on his way east and may arrive in time for the funeral. The remains will be brought to Stevens Point tomorrow or Friday and laid at rest beside Mr. Simons.

The immediate cause of death was a paralytic stroke which she received yesterday. The lady had been in poor health for several months, suffering with heart trouble, and a couple of weeks ago her condition was very low. She was about 62 years of age.

## ONLY A FEW WEEKS MORE

**Get Your Exhibits Ready For the Stevens Point Fair, to be Held the Last Week in August.**

Have the farmers and citizens of Portage county stopped to realize that the harvest time is at hand and it will be only a few weeks before the Stevens Point fair will be held? If not, it is time that every person in the county should do so, the dates being Aug. 23d to 27th inclusive. Let the work of making preparations for the big event start now, if not already started, and be kept up until this important time is at hand. There is no greater educator than a firstclass fair and in these days of scientific farming the new ideas brought out are worth thousands of dollars to the agriculturists. To make a fair a success it requires more than the work of the fair officers, board of directors and superintendents. It requires the co-operation of all who are interested in the progress and welfare of the county in order to get results. Remember the dates, and get busy, as Stevens Point's fair this year will offer attractions in every department that will be worth many times the price of admission to see. In fact the free attractions alone will be the best ever shown on the grounds, and cannot fail to please.

### Sells Farm Near Spooner.

W. J. Leary, the Amherst real estate dealer, was in town this morning while on his way home from Spooner, where he sold a 175 acre farm to Allen Barr of Laquar for \$9,000. Mr. Leary brought with him a bunch of timothy and clover to prove that there is no better soil out of doors than lies in the vicinity of Spooner. He says all crops are looking fine in that section.

### Opposed to Prohibition.

Mrs. Marguerite Isabelle Rice, of New York, spoke to large crowds of men, women and children on the public square, Monday and Tuesday evening, speaking for over an hour and a half on each occasion. Her arguments were in opposition to prohibition and county option, and were delivered with force and eloquence, she having a national reputation as a speaker. Mrs. Rice claims that she is not sent out or paid by any organization, and that she depends upon the generosity of her audience to pay her expenses. She is accompanied by her husband and two children, and promises to visit Stevens Point again in three or four weeks.

## LONG ILLNESS IS ENDED

**W. J. Leonard Dies at Home on Main Street Tuesday Morning—Funeral Services Friday.**

William J. Leonard, for many years one of Stevens Point's best known and most popular dry goods salesmen, and who for a time was engaged in business for himself, died at the family home, 613 Main street, at about 4:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Mr. Leonard had been in poor health for a dozen years or more and since last November was confined to the house almost constantly, but his death was wholly unexpected and came as a distinct shock to the family and friends. The direct cause of death is given as hardening of arteries in his neck and throat.

Locomotor ataxia, or creeping paralysis, had afflicted the gentleman for many years, making it difficult for him to get about, but he was of a naturally active, progressive disposition and notwithstanding his infirmities had no desire to remain idle. When S. Jacobson conducted a dry goods store in the building now occupied by I. Shafston's Chicago clothing store, Mr. Leonard clerked for him. He later was employed in a like capacity for Green Bros., remaining with them until last November.

William was the youngest son of late Wm. Leonard, a pioneer farmer of Stockton, and was born in that township July 18th, 1853. He therefore reached his 57th milestone the day preceding his death. Practically his whole life has been passed in Portage county and he was married in this city Christmas night, 1883, to Miss Theresa Quinn, for several years a teacher in our city schools. They are the parents of three children, William, Jr., an operator for the Western Union in Chicago; Miss Isabel, who taught last year at Chicago Heights, Ill., and recently passed an examination for teacher in the Chicago city schools, and Fred Leonard, a student at our local Normal.

The deceased also leaves two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Chas. McCarthy, Jos. E. and James P. Leonard of Stockton and Mrs. James Quinn of this city.

When Will was 16 years of age he commenced life's responsibilities as a clerk for his brother-in-law, the late M. Clifford, and remained in the latter's employ a score or more of years. As noted in the first paragraph, he was a popular salesman, in truth it was often remarked that he held first rank for affability and thorough good nature.

## Lively Campaign Promised.

The Don C. Hall company are playing at Amherst this week, will go to Bancroft next week, from there to Almond, and then to this city to remain a week. After playing one week at the Veterans' Home, Waupaca, Mr. Hall will devote the balance of the time between Aug. 20th and Sept. 6th in looking after his campaign as a Republican candidate for the state senate. In the meantime his campaign manager, W. M. Rardin, of Butler, Ky., is managing details, and there promises to be a lively campaign.

## ARE COMING NEXT FRIDAY

**Automobilists Make Change in Time for Reaching Stevens Point on Trip This Week.**

Officers of the Wisconsin State Automobile Association announce a change in the tour and will pass through Stevens Point on Friday next, instead of Thursday, as heretofore announced. There will be about thirty cars, representing over \$50,000 in cash, and they will be occupied by about 130 persons. The contestants will be piloted by the first 1911 Rambler automobile sent out from the factory. It will be occupied by M. C. Moore, of the State Automobile Association, Manning Vaughn of the Milwaukee Sentinel and other officials in charge of the reliability run in which several 1911 model Rambler automobiles will participate and contest for the Milwaukee Sentinel trophy.

Thursday night will be spent at Merrill, and it is expected that the cars will begin to arrive here quite early Friday forenoon.

Some of the best known drivers in the country will have charge of the wheel in the various cars, including Lewis Strange of the Pierce-Racine, Ted Collier of the Rambler, Arthur Gardner, Ross Newwood of the Ohio Forty, John Heber of the Overland, and a number of others.

### "My Lord in Livery."

Several of the summer school students will give the one act play, "My Lord in Livery," at the Normal assembly room next Monday evening. A thorough practice has been going on during the past two weeks under the direction of Prof. Smith, and an enjoyable hour is guaranteed to the audience. The amusing complications of the farce hinge on a bet made by Lord Thirlmere that a certain young lady will give him her ring half an hour after he has met her. Her discovery of the wager furnishes the motive of the plot. The play will start promptly at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15 cents; children, 10 cents. Following is the cast of characters:

Lord Thirlmere, H. M. S. Phlegethon  
Spiggott, an old family butler..... George Batty  
Nugent Glennon  
Hopkins, a footman..... Wm. P. Dineen  
Robert, a page..... Emanuel Wiesner  
Sybil Amberly..... Rosetta Johnson  
Laura, her friend..... Blanche Hill  
Rose, her friend..... Neva Adams

### The Chief Gives Warning.

Warning to the citizens of Stevens Point in general and hotel keepers and merchants in particular:

I desire to call your attention to the operations of a dangerous professional forger and swindler who is now defrauding hotels and merchants by means of forged checks drawn on the Sixth National bank of Philadelphia, purporting to have been signed by B. Weissberg. This criminal's correct name is Herman Valentine, but he has used a different name in each city he visited. The names selected by him are invariably German and Hebrew origin. He is now wanted by the police at Washington, D. C., Philadelphia and Chicago. He was last heard from in Chicago, where he defrauded a local hotel on July 3d. He has three trunks containing samples. His method is to represent himself as a traveling salesman for some clothing or furnishing house. Valentine is described as being 44 years old, 5 feet 5 inches in height, weight about 145 pounds, black hair, sallow complexion, blue eyes, smooth shaven; has a scar on first joint of left thumb; has a mole on right cheek and two vertical wrinkles between eyebrows. Keep a sharp lookout for this man and it may prevent you from being victimized.

## WILL PARADE AND SPEAK

**Stevens Point's Success in Securing Railway Divisions Will Be Celebrated Thursday Evening.**

A little over sixteen years ago when Stevens Point succeeded in securing the Normal school, after a hard struggle on the part of B. B. Park, our regent at that time, Stevens Point celebrated the victory with music and speeches. Tomorrow evening there will be a similar celebration in recognition of our securing the railway division. At 7:30 there will be an auto parade, followed by a gathering at the court house square, where the Union band will give a concert. There will also be addresses by a number of speakers, including Bishop Weller of Fond du Lac, who has been invited for the occasion, vocal selections, etc. At 8 o'clock whistles will blow, bells will ring, anvils sounded, and everybody invited to join in the chorus.

Mayor Walters wishes The Gazette to state that fireworks of no kind will be allowed, owing to the danger from fire, and anyone guilty of disobeying this command will be arrested. Confetti, however, may be used without restraint.

## BIG DEALS IN REAL ESTATE

**Much Property Changing Ownership in City and County—Bremmer Farm Sells For \$9,500.**

Among the numerous important transfers of Portage county real estate made recently was the sale of two forty acre tracts in the Buena Vista drainage district by B. G. Eggert to Katurah Litchfield of Illinois. The sum of \$4,000 was paid for this property, or at the rate of \$50 per acre.

Chas. F. Glaeser has sold to H. W. Plaatje an 80-acre farm in Carson for \$2,600.

Local transfers include a lot in the 6th ward, 50x240 feet, from Anna M. Rose to Arno Viertel for \$650, and residence property at the corner of Center and Reserve streets for \$500. This latter transfer was made by Wm. McMullin to Mike Babilge.

Jas. A. Bremmer and family, who owned a fine farm of about 150 acres a couple of miles south of Arnett station, have disposed of their property to Aug. Buza for the handsome consideration of \$9,500.

Forty acres of farming land in Hult was sold by Anton Guski to Adam Majewski for \$2,000.

A. C. Gassmann, who recently returned to his home in Amherst from a prospecting trip through the west, will make his future home on a farm in Lanark township which he bought of Richard Wilson for \$4,300. Sixty acres are in the tract.

The Grant business property at 451 Main street, recently transferred to W. E. Kingsbury, has been sold by the latter to F. E. Rosenow, the occupant, for \$3,500.

James Walters has disposed of his well cultivated farm of 158 acres near Plover village, the purchaser being Wm. Carley, who paid \$5,000 for the place.

Buena Vista drainage land to the amount of 140 acres was sold a few days ago by M. C. McCormick for \$6,000. The new owner is A. L. McKinney, who moves from Illinois.

Mrs. Aug. Demke owned a 40 acre farm just north of the city limits in Hult township which she sold to Joseph Gollon for \$1,000.

What has long been known as Bliss island, located on the Wisconsin river a short distance below the Soo railroad bridge, was sold a few days ago by Frank Wheelock to John R. McDonald for a consideration of \$2,500. There are 52 acres in the piece, much of it heavily wooded.

### District Organizer Coming.

Readers of The Gazette are hereby informed that W. A. Jacobs' address, which was to take place last Monday, was cancelled because of the speaker's inability to come here. The committee has secured Carl Minkley, district organizer for the Social Democratic party, to speak on Monday evening, July 25th, at the South Side band stand. This will be a free lecture and all are invited. Committee.

## ROSHOLT DOCTOR WEDS

**Dr. J. T. Laughlin and Miss Melinda Nottleson Married at St. Stephen's Parsonage This Forenoon.**

There was a pretty marriage ceremony at St. Stephen's parsonage at 10 o'clock this forenoon, when Rev. W. J. Rice pronounced the words that made Dr. John T. Laughlin and Miss Melinda Irene Nottleson, both of Rosholt, husband and wife. They were attended by John and Miss Anna Ryan, of Custer. The young couple drove in from Rosholt this morning, accompanied by the parents of the bride. A wedding dinner was served at the Jacobs House, and this afternoon the doctor and his bride left for a short trip to Milwaukee and Chicago, and on their return will visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Laughlin, at Dorchester, expecting to be gone about ten days.

The groom is a native of Portage county, born in the town of Stockton, where his parents resided previous to moving north. He graduated from the medical department of Marquette College, Milwaukee, two years ago, and has been located in the village of Rosholt for about one year, enjoying a large and successful practice in that locality. He is an able young man, with a bright future. The bride is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nottleson of Rosholt, her father being the village miller. That place has been her home for several years, previous to which the family resided at Scandinavia. For some time she has held a position as bookkeeper, and is a bright, charming young lady. The Gazette joins many other friends in heartiest wishes.

### 1,500,000 Brick for Marshfield

The Wood county insane asylum to be erected at Marshfield is now being put up as fast as an immense crew of laborers and mechanics can do the work. Besides the asylum proper, several smaller structures will be built, the entire job costing upwards of \$100,000. It is a matter of gratification to note that a Stevens Point concern, the Langenberg Brick Manf. Co., has been awarded the brick contract, which calls for a total of 1,500,000, and practically all of them will be shipped from their yards just north of the city limits. The Langenberg people also have a plant at Whitesley and almost the entire season's output has already been contracted for.

### Marriage License.

Perry R. Carter, Tigerton, to Alma O. Dobbe, Rosholt. Rodolph Seim to Mary Plinkie, both of Carson.



The Sunday School Lesson for Next Sunday.

By W. H. Fuller

The events of this lesson occurred about a week after Peter's memorable confession which furnished the theme of our last study. To get the fullest possible account of these happenings one should read not only the text, Matthew 17:1-8; 14-20, but the parallel narratives in Mark 9:2-18; 14-29, and Luke 9:28-43. Putting together this three-fold testimony we find the facts to be as follows: One evening, Jesus with those three disciples who seemed to come nearest to understanding him, Peter, James and John, went up onto one of the heights of Mt. Hermon. (The mountain is not named in the text; but Mt. Hermon was nearest the scene of the last lesson.)

While there a most remarkable change in the outward appearance of Jesus was witnessed by the wondering disciples. It came about while the Saviour was engaged in prayer, a significant fact, by the way. A brightness like that of the sun was upon his face, while his garments "became white and dazzling." Amazement was added to wonder as the disciples observed the presence of two others, who were by some means identified as Moses, the great law-giver, and Elijah the ancient prophet of Israel. Both these men, it will be remembered had taken their departure from earth under most peculiar conditions. No man witnessed the death of Moses, and the place of his burial was never known. Elijah was taken suddenly from before the face of his friend and successor, Elisha, going into the heavens in a chariot of fire.

On this occasion they appeared talking with Jesus, and Luke tells us that the subject of their conversation was the approaching death of the Saviour in Jerusalem. Another feature of this marvelous scene was the sudden appearance of a bright cloud above Jesus and his companions, and a voice speaking out of this cloud addressed itself to the disciples in these words: "This is my beloved son in whom I am well pleased, hear ye him."

The effect of all this upon the trio of disciples was very marked. In an ecstasy of delight Peter suggested that they make booths for their Master and the two unexpected visitors, and prepare to stay in the mountain. It was only when the cloud appeared and the voice sounded that delight gave place to sudden fear, which manifested itself in their prostration upon their very faces. But it was all soon past. To calm their fears Jesus came and touched the three trembling disciples and bade them arise. When they lifted their eyes again, there was no one in sight save Jesus, and he as he had appeared before the remarkable experience above related.

It was useless to attempt any explanation of such a scene. We can only say that it was as if an angel had opened the gates of heaven for a few moments, letting down upon that little group—or rather upon Jesus, a flood of celestial glory. And while the gates were ajar, Moses and Elijah passed through for a moment's fellowship with the One for whom they had both helped to prepare the world.

What we are interested to observe is the relation of this event to the Saviour's education of his disciples. What must have been the effect of such a scene after the disappointments noticed in our previous studies? Could it have been any other than to strengthen and fix their faith in Him as the Messiah? And could there now be any doubt as to the necessity for a suffering Messiah after hearing his death discussed by the heavenly visitants?

Moreover, we cannot but feel that there was peculiar value for Jesus himself in such an experience, in that it prepared him still further to meet with perfect confidence in His Father's love and wisdom the awful sufferings of Gethsemane and Calvary.

On their way down the mountain side Jesus instructed the three witnesses of his transfiguration not to report to any one what they had seen until after his resurrection. Any such report would be taken as an idle tale, or as an evidence of a disordered mind on the part of the witnesses, until the greater miracle of his triumph over death should have forced itself upon the acknowledgement of the people.

Arrived at the foot of the mountain the four were greeted by a multitude. One of these, a man in great distress of mind, came up to Jesus with the most urgent appeal for the cure of his son. The boy was epileptic, and the fits which seized upon him were of the most violent sort. Said the father: "I dash him down, and he foameth and grindeth his teeth, and pineth away. Ofttimes he falleth into the fire, and ofttimes into the water."

The man had taken the lad to the disciples who remained in the valley while the three accompanied Jesus into the mountain. For some reason, which Jesus now declared to be lack of faith, these disciples had been unable to effect a cure for the boy. For this the Master rebuked them and reminded them that if they had had faith even as a grain of mustard seed they might remove any mountain of difficulty.

Then in response to the father's final and passionate appeal for help, Jesus turned his attention to the afflicted boy. In obedience to the Great Physician's word of power, the disease, after giving the poor fellow one last violent wrench that left his form limp and motionless, left him, never to return. "And the boy was cured from that hour." The reader may find it profitable to reflect upon the following points suggested by this lesson:

1. Life is full of contrasts. Mountain-top experiences of delight and ecstasy are followed by hours of darkness in some valley of sorrow and distress.
2. If our days of gladness and the choicer experiences of life do not prepare us for the stern and perhaps unwelcome demands of a wicked and needy world, we better not have them.
3. The glory of Jesus appears no less truly when he ministers to distressed humanity than when he presents himself clothed in heavenly resplendence.

For Sale.

Store building, with basement that will hold 5,000 bushels of potatoes, together with two lots, alongside of railroad in village of Plover, for sale at a bargain. Enquire of or address Geo. E. Gilman, president, Frank McGown, secretary and treasurer, or Plover Produce Co., A. S. of E. Plover, Wis.

Local News Notes.

Otto Inns, of Chicago, has been a guest of Arthur A. Hetzel for a few days.

Let Krembs serve you with an egg drink for your noon lunch tomorrow, and every day.

Tent, 22x36 feet, with 8-foot sides, for rent for parties, picnics, etc. Enquire of V. S. Prais. my11tf

Chas. and Elizabeth Burns left for Fox Lake, last Friday, for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

For sale, pleasant residence and lots on N. Second street. Bargain for some one. Enquire of Teofil Krutza. tf

Local dentists have decided to include the month of September in their Saturday afternoon closing agreement.

Housekeeper wanted—Must be neat and clean; three in family. Address 600 Illinois avenue, Stevens Point, Wis.

Lute and Walter Beach were up from Hancock and Plainfield, respectively, last Thursday, to visit old friends in town.

Mrs. Charlotte Lynn Campbell, of Grand Rapids, has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. H. White, in this city, for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Iverson went to Hancock, last week, to visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Ira Haskins, for a few days.

Misses Katherine and Nellie Cox, of Holland, Brown county, have been guests of their uncles, Rev. W. J. and Dr. D. S. Rice, for the past few days.

Mrs. T. J. Murray left for Milwaukee, last Thursday, to visit at the home of her son, Walter, and will also spend some time with relatives at Sycamore, Ill., before her return.

Stephen and Miss Theodosia Prychla left for Milwaukee, last Thursday, the former for a short visit there, while the latter will go to Chicago and Buffalo, to remain a couple of months.

Peter Trierweiler, Jr., horse shoeing, general blacksmithing and all kinds of wood working. Special attention given to all work. Replacing and putting on rubber tires. Brick shop, 308 Clark street. tf

John Shannon, the popular and prosperous Winona merchant, and who is also engaged in business at Wausau, spent last Friday night in the city as a guest at the home of his father-in-law, W. J. Clifford.

When in need of coal call up T. Olsen, phone 54. Consider these prices: Red Hot coal, \$6.50 per ton; Cast Iron coal, 6.25; Hocking Valley, \$5.75; Watson's, \$5; hard coal, all sizes, \$9; Pocahontas, screened, \$7.25.

Harvey Schofield, principal of a High school at Superior, who had been visiting a week in this city, went to Augusta last Friday morning to camp out with a party of young men friends. Mrs. Schofield will visit her mother, Mrs. Kate Packard, a few days longer.

Rosholt Record: Not only does the law call for the publication of the proceedings, but also requires publication of making known to the voters what is going on so that the ballots might not be cast in vain!—Nothing like a law-abiding community with a newspaper.

Marshfield News: Contractor W. L. Playman and his crew have about three weeks work to finish up the new ward school on the south side, having made excellent progress during the past month. The building will be the most modern and complete of the city's grade schools.

Ernest Viertel spent most of last week at Cincinnati, Ohio, where he attended a banquet given by the wholesale liquor house by which he is employed as traveling salesman. Laying of the corner stone for an immense distillery was also an interesting sight to Mr. Viertel.

Geo. B. Nelson, of this city, will act as a member of the standing committees on claims, inspections and appropriations and libraries, for the State Board of Normal Regents, having been appointed last week by Pres. Crownhart. He will also act as a member of the special committee selected to investigate the physical needs of the Normal schools of the state.

Jas. L. Nichols, Ralph E. Batten and Arthur Green, three young men from Chicago, spent a part of last Friday and Saturday in the city while on a canoe trip down the Wisconsin river. Starting at Star Lake about ten days before, they expect to reach the Mississippi the last of this week, and were having an enjoyable outing, looking as hearty as bullfrogs and as brown as bats.

While employed on the carriage or log conveyor in the saw mill of the Rib Falls Lumber Co. at Rib Falls, Marathon county, the 17th of last March, John Drape of this city was badly hurt by the blowing out of a defective steam valve. He brought suit for damages, retaining A. L. Smongeski as his attorney, but the parties got together last week and a settlement satisfactory to all concerned was made.

Plainfield Sun: At a caucus of Democrats from the 8th congressional district, held in Milwaukee Tuesday, Fred B. Rawson was endorsed as the party candidate for congress in this district, comprising the counties of Portage, Waushara, Waupaca, Winnebago, Calumet and Manitowoc. Mr. Rawson commands the esteem of all who know him and the Democrats could not have found a better man.

Mike McMann, an early day resident of Sharon township, but who for the past six years lived on a 50 acre farm in Linwood, some eight miles west of this city, sold his property last week to a Chicago man. Mr. McMann has rented the Riverside Hotel on Water street and re-opened it for the accommodation of transients and regular boarders. He will give high grade service and guarantees that all who stop with him will be satisfied both as to meals and rooms.

Twenty thousand uniformed Knights of Pythias, together with as many more from subordinate lodges of the order, are expected in Milwaukee to attend the biennial convention of the supreme lodge and encampment of the Uniform Rank, beginning August 1. The uniformed knights, coming from every state and from the provinces of Canada, will be encamped in tents in camp Henry Parish Brown in the northwest part of the city. Special trains coming from all parts of the United States will be started toward Milwaukee next week. One train from Chelsea, Mass., has already started on a tour through Canada before coming to Milwaukee.

SCENIC WASHINGTON

Descriptive and Entertaining Letter Received From Dr. and Mrs. Bird, Who Visited Capitol City.

Washington, the nation's pride, is certainly a most interesting city to visit. The absence of the tumult, dust and disagreeable odors of most large cities is very noticeable and is due to the broad avenues and spacious grounds surrounding the numerous national buildings.

One is forcibly impressed on entering the Union station by the magnificent structure where all railroads leading to the capital have their terminal. Two railroad companies, the United States and the District of Columbia, constructed this depot, and the plaza surrounding it will in time become a delightful resting place, with its fountains, shubbery and statuary. It is of such recent construction that the lawns and shrubs were barely started. Its dimensions exceed those of the capitol and one gets a fine view of the National building from the high stone archways as you leave the station.

It was a legal holiday and as all public buildings were closed when we arrived in Washington, we decided to visit the National Zoological park. In its report this institution has about 700 different fauna of the United States and foreign countries. As nearly as possible the natural surroundings and conditions of life of the various animals are provided, but the warm weather was hard upon some; particularly the creatures that live in the Polar regions.

Among some recent specimens were five lions, several baboons and zebra that were donated by parties who made the acquaintance of Col. Roosevelt on his recent trip to Africa. Particularly interesting were the gigantic cages of waterfowl, eagles and song birds, while the large monkey house drew crowds of children to watch the antics of these lively, funny creatures. The park is an immense affair, and most of the animals have plenty of room to roam about in, with the exception of the ferocious beasts, which were confined in cages with an outlet into an open air iron enclosure. A whole afternoon was profitably spent in going through this park, which is the most extensive in the United States.

Mount Vernon and Arlington were our next points to visit, and as one takes an interurban car they can visit both places on one trip. Arlington, one of our national cemeteries, was originally the home of Robert E. Lee and is directly across the Potomac river from Washington. The beautiful old mansion, surrounded by extensive grounds, is situated on an elevation which lends much to the landscape gardener's art. From the broad portico with its immense Doric pillars, one commands a view famed for a century.

Monuments, temples of fame, arches, bronze tablets, marble and granite slabs, are artistically grouped, while perhaps the most impressive sight is the field of the soldier dead on the plateau. With markers arranged in regular lines with a uniform distance between, they present the appearance of a silent army marshaled for a last review. It is a fitting place for our soldier dead and the peaceful stillness, broken occasionally by the beautiful song of the native southern birds, gives the final touch to a solemn scene.

To reach Mount Vernon we retraced part of the route, then transferred to another car for the 13 mile ride to the home of Washington.

A brave and patriotic spirited girl was Ann Cunningham to resolve on saving this shrine for posterity. With courageous zeal she formed the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association whose purpose was to purchase the home and equip it as nearly as possible with the furnishings of that time. Many states in the Union have a room or some part of the estate to restore. Wisconsin has the room in which Mrs. Washington died, which is in the attic. After the General's death, his bedroom was closed and she chose the attic chamber because its one dormer window was the only one that commanded a view of his tomb.

The only original furniture that our vice-regent has been able to procure is a washstand, while the other furnishings are only reproductions. What original belongings that are not donated or loaned to this worthy enterprise. A ladies have endeavored to purchase. A tour of inspection of the various rooms is permitted and people from all over the world come to visit the home of our illustrious countryman. The magnificent grounds and trees, with the well kept lawns, make a fine, picturesque setting for the famed old mansion. It is built on a high bluff overlooking the broad Potomac, and the boats passing up or down the river frequently stop at the dock to leave or pick up passengers on a pilgrimage to this worthy shrine. The home and the tomb of Washington will have for us added interest if thus we shall see in them a monument of the patriotic impulse, courage and achievement of the women of America.

In returning to Washington we stopped at the monument, a memorial erected by a grateful people at a cost of \$1,300,000. It is the highest structure of masonry in the world and has an elevator which accommodates thirty people on each trip to the top of the shaft. The interior is lighted by electricity and affords opportunity of seeing the memorial stones, which line the inner face of the monument. The panoramic view from the port windows or openings at the top of the shaft is one of the most thrilling sensations one can experience.

A short distance from the monument is the president's mansion, or more commonly known as the White House, and is open to visitors from 10 to 2 o'clock. In the absence of the president and his family, who are at their summer home in Massachusetts, the various rooms were being redecorated and renovated and all furniture was encased in linen or canvas covers. The splendor of the grounds and the magnificent fountain, especially the south fountain, which is a veritable mound of falling spray, made an impressive sight to all visitors to the executive house. This was the first public building erected at the new seat of government, and Washington himself selected the site, laid the corner stone and lived to see it completed. In close proximity to the White House, on the east, is the United States treasury building, whose vaults contain the bags of gold and silver ready for distribution. The general impression the structure gives is of enduring solidity

and security. One of the interesting features of the treasury department is the redemption and destruction of worn out paper money. To the west of the White House is an equally interesting building known as the State, War and Navy building. In the library of this structure is the original Declaration of Independence, which is encased in a tube and placed in a small iron safe. Over the safe hangs a reproduction of the famous document for the inspection of the public.

The Smithsonian Institution and National Museum are two very important buildings, as the Smithsonian building occupies a prominent place among the learned establishments of the world. This institution stimulates, encourages and rewards scientific investigation and study in various departments of knowledge. In the museum were the recent Roosevelt specimens, collected during the African trip, noticeably among which was the skin of the giraffe that Kermit Roosevelt succeeded in killing. In a large glass case in the museum were many interesting relics of the ill-fated battleship Maine, while an equally interesting relic was the first locomotive ever brought to this country, the John Bull, made in England and shipped here in 1830.

A trip to the navy yard is one of especial interest, although it is not a shipbuilding establishment. There are groups to study ancient relics of the past, trophies eloquent of the gallant exploits of the old navy, and new guns here making for the equipment of the new navy of today. The destructive work of the modern guns made here was forcibly illustrated by a piece of four inch armored plate which had been pierced by some of the steel bullets from these guns upon the testing grounds.

The Capitol, the most distinguished building of all, has a commanding view from its prominent place on Capitol Hill and is a conspicuous feature in the landscape for miles around. The exterior is a model of majestic proportions, while the tall pillars and columns are adorned in the most graceful and beautiful designs. The rotunda or center of the main building is a convenient starting place, as all points of interest radiate from this place. On every side one is forcibly reminded of the making of our country by the statuary, sculptures and paintings. Of especial interest are the magnificent Trumbull series of paintings, because the figures in them are authentic portraits and are considered priceless, as each one is a gem marking the critical epochs in the history of our country. In the north extension of the Capitol is the Senate chamber, and the House of Representatives is in the south, with the supreme court, statuary hall and rotunda in the center. The supreme court chamber was closed and the entrance draped with crepe, respective of the death of Chief Justice Fuller. Northeast of the Capitol is a large white marble building, covering an entire block and used exclusively as an office building for the senators.

A similar building with precisely the same exterior is southeast of the Capitol and is devoted to the use of the representatives. Both buildings are connected with the Senate and House respectively by underground subways.

We left the best for the last, for the Library of Congress is considered by all who have seen its splendor as America's highest architectural achievement. The library faces the Capitol and consists of a central hexagonal rotunda three stories high and surrounded by a great gilded dome. From the hexagon radiate bookstacks, galleries and pavilions, while the stairway from this apartment to the various floors is a vision in polished stone. The building with its four large inner courts covers nearly three and one-half acres of ground and cost \$6,500,000, while with its 2,000 windows, is the best lighted library in the world. Words fail one in an effort at any adequate description of the symbolical decorations, for the building is rich in its bronze doors, mural paintings, mosaic panels and ceilings, medallion adornments and brass and tile inlaid floors. The architects, painters and sculptors are all American citizens, and it may well be an occasion of patriotic pride, that in conception, designs and execution, the building is a product of American talent, art and workmanship. Dr. and Mrs. Bird.

Close Saturday Afternoons.

By mutual agreement all the dental offices in the city will close each Saturday afternoon during the months of July, August and September. Make appointments and govern yourself accordingly. Dr. Franz Krembs, Sec.

ALL RETAIN THEIR JOBS

Police and Fire Commissioners Meet and Appoint All Present Policemen and Firemen—Everybody Satisfied.

The first meeting of the board of police and fire commissioners, with all members present, Geo. L. Rogers, R. A. Cook, Harold J. Week, S. H. Wozalla and Anton C. Krembs, was held last Wednesday evening. Mr. Rogers, as president, presided, and Mr. Week acted in his capacity as secretary. John Hafsoos, who was elected by the people as chief of police in the spring of 1909, retains his office by virtue of that fact until May 1st, 1911, and consequently the commissioners have no jurisdiction relative to that position at present, but would without doubt have reappointed him. The appointments are as follows:

Police—Leo Boyer, Ed. Hartle, Wm. Sherbert. Firemen—Chas. H. Packard, chief; Fritz A. Krembs, captain hook and ladder company; Chas. Leahy, Thos. Helminski, Jos. Winkler, Herman Krembs, Alexander Love, Lyman Rowe, John P. Peterson, Mike Helminski, Otto A. Neumann.

Captain Krembs has the distinction of holding the only position among the above list to which no salary is attached, and the honor is all his.

What About This.

Over \$1,000 net profits a year on a \$2,500 investment. \$250 will buy it. A country store, located on C. & N. W. Ry., in well settled farming community. Property includes barnhouse, limehouse, team of horses, two sets of harnesses, wagon, two sleighs, buggy, cutter, one wagon scale. Will sell my entire business. Have 400 cords of wood for sale. Good reason for selling. Address R. care The Gazette, Stevens Point, Wis.

CHARGES ARE SUSPENDED

Complaint Against Street Commissioner Lukasavig Is Withdrawn—Other Business at Council Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the city council was held last Thursday evening, all members being present except Aldermen Abb and Heffron, both of whom were out of town. The session was held primarily to hear charges brought against Street Commissioner Paul Lukasavig, but on request of W. F. Owen, city attorney and president of the Board of Public Works, the complaint was withdrawn.

Mr. Price, representing a Milwaukee safe company, offered to sell to the city a second-hand safe for the sum of \$160, or would exchange for the one now owned by the municipality and a cash consideration of \$100. The outside measurements of the strong box Mr. Price wishes to dispose of are 72 inches high, 52 inches wide and 30 inches deep, the original price of which was between \$550 and \$600. It is being fitted with a new combination capable of one hundred million changes. On motion of Ald. Schenk the mayor appointed a committee consisting of Redfield, McDonald and Port to confer with the salesman and make the deal if their judgment warranted it.

Ald. Schenk, chairman of a committee appointed to look up a new location for the city offices in the event it would be necessary to move from present quarters, stated that he had talked with Mr. Andrae and was informed that the city's lease did not expire until Jan. 1st next. Mr. Andrae had no desire to make a change in tenants but after the above date he would expect rental of \$50 per month. J. Iverson and Frank Bemowski, who are putting up new brick blocks on Second and Third streets, respectively, offered to rent office room for \$30 per month. If the Iverson building were leased the city offices would be located on the first floor in a room 20x40 feet, and the council chamber would occupy the hall above, a space 40x60 feet. The dimensions of Bemowski's one-story building are 20x50 feet. Mrs. Julia Aich made the same monthly rental offer for her store on Strong's avenue, which covers 20x180 feet. The city may also secure the second floor of Grand opera house block for \$200 per year. No action was taken.

Deputy Clerk Finch read the formal complaint against the street commissioner containing three charges: 1, excessive use of intoxicating liquors; 2, insubordination to superior officers; 3, gross neglect of duty.

Mr. Owen arose and stated that he had a talk with Lukasavig earlier in the evening and while he was free to state that his and Paul's ideas of the duties of street commissioner hadn't jibed, Paul is a good fellow and had promised faithfully to do better in the future. Up to this time Lukasavig didn't fully understand his duties, but had agreed to absolutely stand by the board of public works if the charges were withdrawn for 60 days. Mr. Owen said he had no desire to dictate to the council, but believed that Lukasavig ought to be given another chance.

Mayor Walters stated that the charges were made under his dictation, but he agreed with Mr. Owen that Paul is a good fellow. Frequent complaints had come to his honor from the public works body and others, but if the council so votes the mayor said he was willing to give the street commissioner another chance.

Ald. Port expressed the same sentiments and then offered a motion that action on the complaint be suspended for 60 days, which motion received a second.

Ald. Cook remarked that Paul is a good friend of his and he has much regard for the street commissioner. Mr. Cook asked the city attorney whether, as Paul is the "right arm" of the board of public works, there isn't a chance for the commissioner and Engineer Cauley to conflict as to their respective authority. Mr. Owen answered "absolutely none. Mr. Cauley is hired by the month by the board and has certain specified duties to perform."



When You Want

Something—and don't know what You Want—That's the time you would appreciate one of Krembs' delicious

"Quality Sodas"

Ask for a "Lime Freeze," or a list of our Egg Drinks—smooth, creamy and cold. It represents our best efforts.

KREMBS PHARMACY

Ald. Urowick desired that the commissioner be given another chance. Mr. Lukasavig was called upon for a statement. He denied the charges as not being half true and further said that he didn't know there was any complaint regarding his work. However, he was willing to follow future instructions.

Ald. Port's motion to suspend the charges was carried by unanimous vote. Upon motion of Ald. McDonald the street commissioner's pay was ordered withheld for the nine days from July 6th to 15th.

Mayor Walters stated that he didn't engage Fred Fryer as janitor of the city hall because Fred is a county charge at present. If he were employed by the city, Fred would gain a residence here in one year and might ultimately "come back" at the city for support. Mike Sharwerk offered to do the janitor work for \$9.50 per month.

Ald. Redfield suggested that a committee be appointed to investigate the purchase of the water system. As the rate commission is expected here daily to listen to complaints against the water company, Ald. McDonald thought that action better be deferred for the present. The meeting adjourned.

Shows How State Is Made.

A new relief map of the state of Wisconsin, showing the topography, the geology, drainage, railroads, cities and counties, has been made by the State Geological and Natural History Survey, after consultation with the geology department of the University of Wisconsin, the state high school inspectors, and State Superintendent C. P. Cary, for the use of the schools, libraries, and other public institutions of the state.

The map, which is 49 by 45 inches, on a scale of 7 miles to the inch, is made of a mixture of plaster of Paris and papiermache reinforced with steel netting, and is fastened in a strong, deep wooden frame.

Chickens Ill With Tuberculosis.

Tuberculosis in chickens has been found in five cases this year by the State Hygienic Laboratory at the University of Wisconsin. In no case, however, has it been proven that people have contracted the disease through eating such fowls.

"It is quite evident that the chickens get the disease by pecking about in barn yards where there are cows or people infected with it," said Dr. M. P. Ravenel, director of the laboratory, recently. "We had a chicken sent us not long ago from the neighborhood of Janesville. We found the bird had tuberculosis, and upon visiting the farm it had come from, discovered nearly every animal in the entire dairy herd there badly infected."

"Few cases of the disease among fowls have been reported hitherto, only two or three having been known in the United States until this year."

The Jackson Milling company has just received a fine lot of meat platters which will be given upon the receipt of 16 coupons. w3

To Water Consumers.

On and after this date the sprinkling hours of this company will be three hours in the evening, from five to eight o'clock. The whistle at the water works will be blown at five o'clock and again at eight o'clock. Any consumer sprinkling before five p. m. or after eight p. m. will be warned once, and upon second offense, the water will be shut off the premises without notice. The company does not desire the business of any consumer who is unwilling to comply with a reasonable request of this nature. Stevens Point Water Co. By C. E. Gray, Pres.

Dated July 11, 1910.

The Medicine That Cures

H. W. Barker's Cough Remedy made at Sparta, Wis. Write for valuable information. For sale by Taylor Bros.

"The Grand Trunk Line"

Our traveling Trunks have got their "walking tickets." That is, we have marked them at such low prices that there is bound to be a "run" on them. They are made of solid leather, metal trimmed and cornered, solid leather handles, and the most convenient inside arrangement. Carefully constructed compartments that make each one a complete traveling wardrobe.

We also carry a full line of high class Bags, Satchels, Grips, etc., at popular prices. Suit Cases, Bags, Trunks and Hand-Bags repaired.

J. PEICKERT'S SONS North Third Street, near Main Street.





ANDREW CARNEGIE was a poor Scotch boy when he came to America. He worked hard; he saved a part of the money he earned. Today it keeps him busy just giving away the interest on his fortune.

We will pay you 3 per cent interest on the money you put in our bank and compound the interest every 6 months.

**THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK**  
Capital \$100,000. Surplus \$25,000.

LARGEST BANK IN  
PORTAGE COUNTY

Depends on Ocean for Food.  
Ninety per cent. of the population of  
Western India depends upon fish for  
sustenance.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Klad You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Badly Matched Ears.  
No pair of ears, scientists say, are  
ever perfectly matched, neither are  
they set exactly alike upon the head.  
In some cases the ears are so different  
that they might more appropri-  
ately belong to different individuals.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver  
Tablets gently stimulate the liver and  
bowels to expel poisonous matter,  
cleanse the system, cure constipation  
and sick headache. Sold by H. D. Mc-  
Culloch Co.

A man who started to cure by fast-  
ing one of the ills that flesh is heir to  
has made the discovery that it cured  
all ailments in his case. Having be-  
come defunct he is free from all dis-  
ease, even the fever called living.

Too Busy for Work.  
We have observed that the man  
who is full of schemes to make a for-  
tune seldom has any time for work.

Massachusetts woman wants a di-  
vorce because her husband keeps a live  
lobster in the house. Well, what's she  
been keeping?

## THIN MILK

How can the baby grow  
strong if the nursing mother  
is pale and delicate?  
**Scott's Emulsion**  
makes the mother strong  
and well; increases and en-  
riches the baby's food.

Teething children have more or less  
diarrhoea, which can be controlled by  
giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera  
and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is  
necessary is to give the prescribed dose  
after each operation of the bowels more  
than natural and then castor oil to  
cleanse the system. It is safe and  
sure. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

## DEMOCRACY'S HAPPY HOUR

Let's Win, and Win Right—The Op-  
portunity of Years to Elect a Demo-  
cratic Ticket.

There is no question but that there is  
a feeling abroad in the land that Demo-  
cracy is about to come into its own.  
The admission is freely made in Wash-  
ington by Republicans that Taft is a  
"one term president." It is practically  
conceded that the next Congress will  
be Democratic. Non-partisan observ-  
ers, such as Lee Stannard Baker, writ-  
ing in the American Magazine for June,  
1910, see strong probability of exten-  
sive Democratic success.

In this state Democracy sees an op-  
portunity to effect substantial econo-  
mies in the state administration. The  
expenses of the state administration,  
doubling, trebling, quadrupling over  
the expenses of the Peck administra-  
tion, in spite of the enormous increases  
in the receipts by the state from tax-  
ation of public service corporations  
demonstrates that substantial reforms  
are needed. There is a feeling grow-  
ing among the business men of the  
cities and of the country in the state,  
that it is time that a change took place  
in the State House; that an inventory  
should be taken and that things should  
be cleaned up. The majority party is  
hopelessly disrupted in this state;  
whereas Democracy stands united for  
strong, constructive, progressive, sane  
reform; and efficiency and economy in  
state administration.

In this situation the State Central  
Committee sends forth a call to all  
Democrats in the state to rally to their  
aid in the cause of Democracy. The  
slogan adopted by the State Central  
Committee is not "Let's win, and win  
at any price," but "We'll win; and  
we'll win right." This spirit should  
revivify the hope of every Democrat in  
the state. It should call to its support  
the young men of the state, and we  
have confidence that it will do so.

The next national administration will  
be Democratic. Let every Democrat  
in Wisconsin do his share to support  
the State Central Committee in its  
efforts to re-energize the entire Demo-  
cratic state organization in this state,  
and in its effort to call to the support  
of Democracy in this state, the best  
of the independent thinking voters of  
Wisconsin.

With such a spirit in the Democracy  
of this state, there should be no ques-  
tion where the duty of every Democrat  
lies. It lies in loyalty to his own party  
in the primaries. The so-called twenty  
per cent. law threatens to obliterate  
the Democratic column from the ballot,  
unless Democrats stay in the middle of  
the road, loyal to their own party in  
the primaries. Aid and support from  
Democrats should not in good con-  
science be asked or expected by any  
wing or faction of the Republican party  
when a situation of their own creation  
has arisen, where it is a matter of life  
or death to Democracy that the Demo-  
cratic voter stay within his own pri-  
mary. The so-called "twenty per cent.  
law," enacted by the last legislature,  
requires that at least twenty per cent.  
of the last vote for governor be cast  
in each electoral district in the primary  
to entitle a party nominee to a place  
on the party official ballot. It was con-  
ceived by the dominant party in this  
state to disrupt and destroy the Demo-  
cratic party in this state. It is vicious  
in practice and wrong in theory. The  
best interest of the commonwealth de-  
mands that a strong minority party  
should exist. It is a matter of good  
citizenship as well as party loyalty that  
every democrat should stay in his own  
party at the next primary.

Because Chinese immigrants have  
been detained on Angel Island, the  
Chinese residents have boycotted Amer-  
ican goods. Just what their reasoning  
is, is difficult to understand. Evident-  
ly, however, they are trying to meet  
boycott with boycott.

### Marriage Marts.

The famous Tunis marriage mart is  
held twice a year, in the spring and in  
the autumn. The Tunisian girls attend  
by the hundreds, each with her dowry  
in coin and jewelry disposed about her  
person. The "golden girdle of maiden-  
hood" encircles her waist, and in it is  
an unsheathed dagger. When the dag-  
ger is gently removed by a passing gal-  
lant and presently returned, it means  
that a proposal has been made.

A prettier custom prevails among the  
Oorian moids, who, at stated intervals,  
assemble in the market place. In front  
of each is a lighted lamp, an emblem  
of conjugal fidelity. A young man  
feels attracted and gently blows upon  
the flame, extinguishing it. When the  
girl relights it, it is a rejection; if she  
allows the lamp to go unlighted, how-  
ever, the suitor is acceptable.

### Wise Elephants.

Elephants, those animal sages that  
are constantly changing keepers, be-  
come so wise and know so much about  
the tricks of the trade and human na-  
ture in general that they finally will  
not work for any man. It is doubtful  
if there is a bull elephant more than  
fifty years old performing in this coun-  
try. They have not "gone bad," as the  
showmen say, but have learned too  
much, picked up from their keepers,  
and they cannot be worked with safety.  
An elephant that is going to make  
trouble turns his back on his intended  
victim and begins to swing his great  
body from side to side. Then in a  
flash he wheels, catches the offender  
with his trunk and buries him perhaps  
twenty feet away, following swiftly  
to crush the life from his body with  
his mighty knees.

### Date of Sonder Boat Trials.

The sonder yacht aspirants for In-  
ternational honors in the Spanish-  
American race next fall will have a  
chance to qualify for the American  
team of three yachts in the trial races  
which will begin off Marblehead,  
Mass., Aug. 15. The dates of the  
Spanish races have not been fixed, but  
they are expected to be held some  
time during the first two weeks in  
September.

The trial races will be held on suc-  
cessive days until the committee has  
made its choice.

## Candidates for Office

### DON C. HALL

Candidate for the Republican nomi-  
nation at the 1910 September Primar-  
ies, for the office of State Senator  
from the Twenty-first district.

**"A BUSINESS MAN for  
a BUSINESS MAN'S  
CONSIDERATION."**

### Announcement.

To the people of the Twenty-first  
Senatorial District:—I hereby an-  
nounce my candidacy for the Republi-  
can nomination for the office of Sen-  
ator of this district. I do so on the  
urgent request of a large number of  
voters from all parts of the district  
who from their standing in business  
and political circles, are entitled to  
the most respectful consideration.

My experience in the Senate in  
serving my first term as chairman of  
the "Good Roads Committee," and as  
a member of the Educational and  
Judiciary Committee, I believe will  
be advantageous and increase my  
usefulness to the people.

I am grateful for the confidence  
expressed from so many sources and  
can only say, should I be elected to  
that honorable and responsible office,  
I shall do all in my power to promote  
the interest of the people of the dis-  
trict and state and to meet the expec-  
tations of my friends and the people  
whose confidence places me under the  
most weighty and sacred obligation.  
Very respectfully,

Edward E. Browne.  
Waupaca, Wis., June 20th, 1910.

### For State Senator.

To the Electors of the Twenty-first  
Senatorial District:—I hereby an-  
nounce my candidacy for the Republi-  
can nomination for the office of Sen-  
ator of this district. I am a resident  
of the city of Stevens Point, where I am  
engaged in the practice of law. I am



forty-two years of age, and have been  
an attorney at law for over twenty  
years and I feel that my experience  
gained in my profession fully qual-  
ifies me to represent this district. If I  
am honored with the nomination at  
the coming primary election, and  
elected, I shall give to the duties of  
the office my best attention and my  
time will be at the disposal of the  
entire district.

Stevens Point, Wis., June 30, 1910.  
Yours very truly, D. I. Sickelsteel.

### For County Treasurer.

To the Voters of Portage County:—  
The undersigned respectfully announ-  
ces his candidacy for the office of  
county treasurer, subject to the will  
of the voters at the Republican pri-  
maries in September, and if nominated  
and elected will give the office my  
continued personal attention and  
carefully guard every interest of the  
tax payers of the county. Having  
resided in the town of Stockton all  
my life, I feel that I should be known  
to most of the voters in the county,  
and shall appreciate your support at  
the polls on Thursday, Sep. 6th, 1910.  
Respectfully, Jas. B. Dawley.

### For Treasurer.

To the voters of Portage County:—  
I desire to announce that I will be a  
candidate at the primaries for elec-  
tion as the Republican nominee for  
the office of treasurer for Portage  
county. In view of my past services  
for the people of the county any word  
of introduction seems unnecessary, but  
I do wish to state that if elected to  
the office I will devote my entire time  
to the duties thereof and will put  
forth my utmost effort to give the  
people a safe, efficient and consci-  
entious administration of its impor-  
tant affairs. Any assistance from my  
friends in furthering my interests in  
this regard would certainly be most  
sincerely appreciated. Yours very  
respectfully, George F. Hebard  
Stevens Point, Wis., June 15, 1910

### For County Treasurer.

To the voters of Portage County:—  
Having served the people of this  
county as their treasurer for four  
years previous to about four years  
ago, and feeling that they were satis-  
fied with my administration, always  
having endeavored to serve all alike  
and leave a clean record, I again re-  
spectfully solicit your support at the  
primary on Sept. 6th, being a candi-  
date for the Republican nomination  
for County Treasurer.  
Respectfully, Ben Halverson.

### For Sheriff.

To the Voters of Portage County:—  
I hereby announce myself as a candi-  
date for the nomination for sheriff at  
the primary election to be held next  
September. Respectfully yours, De  
Jay Kelsey

### Register of Deeds.

To the voters of Portage County:—I  
wish to announce that at the primary  
election next fall I shall be a candi-  
date on the Republican ticket for nomi-  
nation to the office of register of deeds,  
subject to the will of the voters of  
Portage county. Feeling grateful for  
the good will manifested, and the gen-  
erous support accorded me in the past,  
and soliciting the support of the peo-  
ple of this county, I am, yours re-  
spectfully,  
C. M. Chapman.

## GOODRICH BOATS

**Big Boats  
a Week to  
MACKINAC  
ISLAND.....**

**1 BOAT TO THE SOO**  
From Milwaukee  
**To MACKINAC ISLAND \$10.00**  
ROUND TRIP \$15.00. Meals and Berth  
Included. Leave Milwaukee 10:30 p. m.,  
Monday, on S. S. Carolina and 10:30 p. m.  
Saturday on S. S. Arizona.

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Round Trip \$22.50. Meals, Berth, Included.  
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Leave 4:30 p. m. and 9:00 p. m. Daily  
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**W. P. O'CONOR, Gen'l Agt., MILWAUKEE**

### For Sheriff.

To the Voters of Portage County:—  
I respectfully announce that I will be  
a candidate for the office of Sheriff in  
the Democratic primaries, to be held  
on Thursday, Sept. 6th. Being well  
known in all parts of the county, I  
believe it is safe to say that I can  
stand on my personal record as a citi-  
zen, as well as the official record made  
by me while holding the same office  
for two years prior to January 1909.  
No duty was too severe or arduous to  
be shirked or neglected, and if again  
nominated and elected the same  
efforts will be made during the next  
two years. Thanking the voters of  
Portage county for their generous  
support in the past, and hoping for  
their good will in the future, I am  
Respectfully, Frank Guyant.

### Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Portage County:—  
I wish to respectfully announce my  
candidacy for the office of Sheriff on  
the Republican ticket, subject to the  
will of the voters at the Sept. 6th  
primary election. Having spent my  
entire life in this county, I feel  
that I am known to a majority of the  
voters at least, and my present expe-  
rience as undersheriff, which office I  
have held since Jan. 1909, and have  
always aimed to discharge its duties  
faithfully and impartially, will be of  
great benefit should the voters honor  
me with the nomination and election.  
Trusting that you will remember me  
at the Republican primaries I remain  
respectfully, George A. Sutherland.

### Member of Assembly.

To the voters of Portage County:—  
I hereby announce myself as a candi-  
date for the nomination for member  
of assembly on the republican ticket,  
at the primary election to be held in  
September. In the matter of the  
coming election of United States  
senator, I shall, if nominated and  
elected, support the republican candi-  
date receiving the largest vote  
throughout the state of Wisconsin.  
Soliciting this endorsement and ex-  
pression of continued confidence by  
the people of Portage county, I am,  
Respectfully yours, O. A. Crowell.  
Almond, June 21, 1910.

A Chicago surgeon has discovered  
how to graft new extremities on the  
bodies of his patients. Science should,  
in this way, be able to assemble a man  
superior to the natural article.

## Danderine

**Grows Hair  
and we can  
PROVE IT!**

DANDERINE is to the hair what fresh showers  
of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It  
goes right to the roots, invigorates and  
strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and  
life-producing properties cause the hair to grow  
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scalp. Use it every day for a short time,  
after which two or three times a week will  
be sufficient to complete whatever growth  
you desire.

A lady from St. Paul writes as substance,  
as follows:  
"When I began using Danderine my hair  
would not come to my shoulders and now  
it is away below my hips."

Another from Newark, N. J.  
"I have been using Danderine regularly.  
When I first started to use it I had very lit-  
tle hair, now I have the most beautiful long  
and thick hair anyone would want to have."

**NOW at all druggists in three  
sizes 25c, 50c and \$1.00  
per bottle**

Danderine enjoys a greater sale than  
any other one preparation regardless of kind  
or brand, and it has a much greater sale than  
all of the other hair preparations in the  
world combined.

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acts, we will send a large num-  
ber free by return mail to anyone who  
sends this free coupon to the  
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## BRYANT'S ROOT BEER

7 cents per bottle or 3 for 15 cents

SEE OUR WINDOW

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**A CLEAN, STRONG TICKET.**

The Democrats of Wisconsin in convention at Milwaukee on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week recommended for consideration at the primary on Sept. 6th the names of some of the state's best sons to discharge official duties during the coming two years, as follows:

Governor—A. J. Schmitz, Milwaukee.  
Lieutenant Governor—M. J. Scholte, Kenosha.  
Secretary of State—George W. Thiesen, Mayville, and John M. Callahan, Neenah.  
State Treasurer—E. C. Zimmerman, Wausau.  
Attorney General—John F. Doherty, La Crosse.  
Insurance Commissioner—John Hazelwood, Jefferson.  
United States Senator—Burt Williams, Ashland.

Most of the candidates, it will be seen, have no opposition at the primaries, while for both lieutenant governor and secretary of state, two candidates are named. Nearly every man in the ticket is a gentleman of state-wide reputation, especially is this true of A. J. Schmitz, John M. Callahan, E. C. Zimmerman, John F. Doherty, John Hazelwood and Burt Williams, and are at the same time men of ability, worth and character, each and all of whom would be a credit to the people of the state and the office which he aspires. Every good Democrat, every good citizen need have no hesitation in voting for any man on the ticket, either in the primaries or at the election.

**IT HAS THE RIGHT LINE.**

The Democrats of Lincoln county in recent convention at Merrill, unanimously carried the following resolution, the recommendations of which it is now high time to be recognized and adhered to by Democrats throughout the state:

"Whereas, the Democratic party is beset by all manner of unscrupulous foes, bent upon its demoralization, disunion and total annihilation at any cost; and, whereas, the work of its enemies is conspicuously manifest in the state of Wisconsin under the leadership of Robert M. La Follette, the sole purpose is self aggrandizement and the gratification of a belligerent spirit to kill some 'Big Bugs,' who he thinks are not so healthy now as formerly to the national hot house plant; better known as the Republican party; and, whereas, we have learned by experience that Mr. La Follette wants our services as water carriers only, for the compounding of his venality; and, whereas, it behooves us for our own and our country's good to stick fast to our party and its time honored principles, which, as contrasted with a party whose chief element is abnormal so-called protection, causes us to rejoice in behalf of our country that we have a party diametrically opposed to such inconsistencies and at whose hands we can expect true and unadulterated, plain and economical government administered to all alike; therefore we resolve to denounce Robert M. La Follette and his followers as more dangerous to our party than the straight old Republican party, and pledge ourselves not to give him or any of his followers our support in the coming election."

The Republican administration claims the credit of everything at present except the dry weather, but as soon as there is a flood or cloud burst, they endeavor to shift it upon the shoulders of the Democrats, who are charged with everything bad twelve months each year.

With several announced candidates in the field for governor on the Republican ticket, and "Governor Jim" yet "undecided," it would not be surprising to hear of his announcement any of these warm days, and he would certainly give the other fellows a not time from being distanced in the race on Sept. 6th.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon, when nearing the close of a political speech the other day, collapsed on account of the heat, but soon revived, and was on his way to other fields to propound Republican doctrines. They say it is hard to keep a good man down, but the insurgent element in his party do not recognize Cannon as among the good.

John F. Lamont has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the 10th district. Mr. Lamont is mayor of Wausau, now serving his second term, is a scholarly, clean-cut, able gentleman, one worthy of the united support of all who believe in Democratic principles and that at the election in November will be the proper time to "turn the rascals out."

F. W. Kubaska will succeed C. N. Johnson as postmaster at Merrill. The latter, who is editor of the Daily Herald, and has proven a first-class official, comments on the result as follows: All over the state the president has turned down all candidates for federal appointment who were suspected of being friendly to Senator La Follette. It has been well known that the national administration is bent on the defeat of the senior senator from Wisconsin, and all federal office-holders, who have been suspected of leaning toward La Follette, have had to go. Efficiency in office and the wishes of the people not being considered. In this case here, Senator Wright had the ear of the president, Senator Stephenson, the ear of the president and the appointment of Mr. Kubaska followed as a matter of course.

The settlement of the postoffice contest in this city, shows that President Taft stands with the reactionary wing of the Republican party. Mr. Johnson had the endorsement of Congressman Morse, besides being practically endorsed by the entire business interest of the city as well as the people generally. But this did not count.

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Theo. Gribbi, wife and two daughters, of Elgin, Ill., are in the city, guests at the home of Mrs. Gribbi's parents, John Week and wife.

Only two bids were received for building the new engine house on Strong's avenue, South Side. One was from Peter Ule and the other from M. T. Olin, \$4,900 and \$5,000, and both were rejected.

Daniel E. Frost is now a student in Raymond & Haseltine's law office in this city, to remain until the first of September, when he will resume his studies in the law department of the state university.

Wm. Dauber of Buffalo, N. Y., has been in the city for several days, being called here on account of the serious illness of his brother, Chris. Dauber, who has been a great sufferer with cancer of the stomach.

While the circus parade was passing through the streets on Friday afternoon last, some sneak thief effected an entrance into Duncan McGreggor's residence on Clark street by breaking open a back door. The thief secured a silver watch and chain and \$2.50 in money.

Capt. J. F. Stilson and wife, of Galesburg, Ill., are visiting at the residence of their daughter, Mrs. Ed. McDill at McDill. The latter's sisters and brother, Mrs. Lottie Chamber and Miss Minnie and Earl Stilson of the same place, arrived last week to remain a number of months.

A number of our German fellow citizens have just organized a new literary, dramatic and musical society to be known as "Der Deutsche Eintrachts Verein." The following officers will manage affairs: President, Alexander Krembs; vice pres., N. Jacobs; secretary, John Stumpf; treasurer, Vincent Reelach; trustees, G. A. Jauch, N. Aich, Fred Haller, Paul Roettger, Geo. C. Miller.

The Knights Templar of the state are holding an encampment on the island between Neenah and Menasha. The following is a list of the Stevens Pointers in attendance: J. O. Raymond, D. L. Jones, P. C. Clafin, John Cadman, E. M. Capps, J. J. Kingsbury, Peter Walling, R. M. Griswold, Henry and J. D. Curran, A. F. Wyatt, Geo. W. Ghoca, Rev. W. H. Watts, A. G. Hamacker, M. E. Means, T. J. Simons, W. B. Buckingham.

The fire department was called out at 12 o'clock Wednesday night, caused by the burning of a barn belonging to Chas. Paulson and occupied by Chas. and Louis Wiesner. When first discovered the barn, which contained eight horses, a cow, fifteen set of harnesses and two yoke of cattle, was all ablaze and quickly spread to three dwellings, one of which was the old Stevens Point hotel, owned by Abe Coulthurst. All the household furniture was saved.

**Died in Insane Asylum.**

Arthur Matthews, for many years a resident of this city, but who has been an inmate of the Northern Asylum near Oshkosh for several months, died at that institution last Saturday. Mr. Matthews was twice married, his first wife being a Miss Hollinshead, but she died many years ago, and his second wife passed away a few months before he was taken to Oshkosh. He was about 65 years of age, and a painter by trade.

**The State Convention.**

Wisconsin Democracy has made an admirable start for the state campaign. The convention which closed in the early hours of Wednesday morning was an enthusiastic, earnest and patriotic body, wearing the collar of no man special interest, but animated by a desire to establish the genuine and progressive principles of true Democracy. The earnestness of the debate, and the length of it in some instances, while exasperating during the late hours, was in itself an indication of the independence and power of the delegates, and the happy ending of the convention, with united purpose and no wounds, is a gratifying earnest of success.

The platform is progressive and strong and should enlist the hearty support of every enlightened citizen of the state. It deals with the great questions which now agitate the people and handles them without equivocation, fairly, squarely and powerfully. It declares again for the essentially Democratic principles which the Republicans have ostentatiously espoused at times for campaign purposes only, only to abandon them when returned to power. The list of nominees consist of able, honest men—men who if chosen to office, will not betray the interests of the people who placed them there, but who will labor for the advancement of the principles to which the party stands pledged.

Democracy in Wisconsin confronts today its greatest opportunity in years. The state convention has risen to the occasion, not opportunistically, but by consistent adherence to the fundamental policy of true Democracy, the good of the people. Let the members of the party cease chasing after false gods, and work unitedly along the lines established by the convention and they will be supported by thousands of former Republicans, weary of misrule, misrepresentation and false pretense. —Milwaukee Daily News.

It is not, however, in a platform so much as in the spirit with which it is adopted that a party's attitude is to be determined. The people are quite familiar with the platforms that are adopted "to get in on" and that are not taken seriously by their authors. In the Payne-Aldrich revision of the tariff they were treated to the spectacle of a repudiation of solemn pledges. The spirit of the Democratic convention was Progressive. It manifested its faith by its works. It did not rest content with a Progressive platform, but it nominated candidates whose Progressive standing is unquestioned. A. J. Schmitz for governor and Burt Williams for United States senator are two candidates whose nomination unmistakably marks the Progressive purposes of the convention and the Progressive spirit that dominates the Wisconsin Democracy. —Milwaukee Journal.

**DAN BEAN PASSES AWAY**

Former Well Known Resident of This City and County Dies in Montana After Short Illness.

Many friends in this county of Daniel V. Bean, and who was most familiarly known as "Dan" Bean, will join with The Gazette in extending sympathy to the members of his family over his departure from this life, the announcement of which comes as a great shock to all. Mr. Bean's home was at Hamilton, Mont., but he died at Missoula, where he had been taken for treatment. Born in Rock county, Wis., he came to Stevens Point when a boy, and this county was his home until he moved west about 15 years ago. He was married at Plover to Miss Mary Lamoreux, the only daughter of Mrs. O. H. Lamoreux, now of this city, and made that village his home for many years. A few years before moving west, while his son, the late Frank L. Bean, was attending our High school, from which he graduated in the class of 1894, the family home was in Stevens Point. Frank B. Lamoreux of Ashland, C. A. Lamoreux of Milwaukee, and the late W. O. Lamoreux of this city, are brothers of Mrs. Bean, and Enoc Bean of this city, is a cousin of the deceased. The following is taken from the Daily Missoulian, of Missoula, of Sunday, July 10th:

D. V. Bean—good, big-hearted son of the west—is dead. The end of his life came at 1 o'clock this (Sunday) morning at St. Patrick's hospital, in this city, after an illness that seemed incredibly brief to have cut down so sturdy a man. Daniel Vaughn Bean's death was due to a complication of diseases, following an attack of pleurisy that befel him at Salmon City, Idaho, about a month ago. He came to Missoula then for treatment, was ill at the Florence hotel for a time, and then was taken to his home in Hamilton. From Hamilton his health necessitated a return; he entered St. Patrick's hospital two weeks ago today. His magnificent strength fought off death for 14 days, but yesterday his friends knew that life could not last much longer.

D. V. Bean—by his initials he was best known—was born in Rock county, Wisconsin, in 1847. In 1895, 15 years ago, he came to Montana, going direct to Hamilton, where he was identified with the lumber interests of the late Marcus Daly and the Anaconda Copper company. Afterward he owned and managed a number of mills, and there is not a person in western Montana, who did not know D. V. Bean, personally or by reputation. He was recognized as one of the most prominent citizens of Hamilton. His was a large share in every movement of a public nature, and for a while he helped conduct the business of the city of Hamilton as an alderman. Later, within the past year of the time, he having interested himself in the real estate business there with a son, Charles A. Bean.

D. V. Bean was a big, upstanding sort of a man, a man with an open countenance and the ability to look any and everyone in the eye and smile. His physical strength was a byword, even among the husky men of the woods who worked for him and with him. His good nature was as eternal as time, it seemed, his cheerfulness as untrifled as the snows that bank the mountain peaks he loved so well. A man of positive ideas as to right and wrong was D. V. Bean, a man who believed in no such thing as compromise with evil. He was loved of many, and he loved many. The doing of a kind deed, the helping of a struggling boy was to him of greater importance than the making of a dollar. D. V. Bean acknowledged no superior, nor did he esteem himself before other men. A good, big-hearted son of the west he was.

At his death, was his entire family: Mrs. Bean, Miss Elizabeth Bean of Hamilton, Charles A. Bean of Salmon City and Fred Bean of Eugene, Oregon.

At his own request, Mr. Bean will be buried in Hamilton. He was a prominent Mason, and it is likely that this order will have a large part in his burial.

**For Sale.**

Second hand machinery, all in good condition. One No. 1 Birdsell roller huller with feeder; one No. 1 Birdsell roller huller with Birdsell feeder and Russell wind stack; one 20 horse power Russell compound traction engine. Address The Gazette, Stevens Point, Wis.

**AFTER WIFE DESERTERS**

Stevens Point Council Will Endeavor to Apprehend Men Who Heartlessly Abandon Their Families.

The council held a special meeting last Saturday evening, with all members present except Abb. Heffron and Urowski. Several matters of local interest were discussed, among them that of making an effort to secure the return of a few fellows who have abandoned their families and left for parts unknown, while those who have been left behind are being cared for at the expense of the tax payers. Mayor Walters recommended that something be done to punish men of this kind, and if necessary the city go to the expense of arresting and bringing those back that can be located. Abandonment is punishable by a term behind the bars at Waupun, and a few wholesome lessons would be beneficial. Ald. Redfield, McDonald and Scribner were appointed to look after this matter.

The fire and police commission asked for the privilege of having a desk in the city offices, and the matter was referred to Ald. Port to get prices on desks, etc. The committee on city buildings were authorized to proceed at once with the work of placing cement floors in the horse stalls at engine house No. 2, and on suggestion of the mayor the board of public works were authorized to experiment with coal gas tar, to be secured at the lighting plant, and sand as a top dressing, on the Central avenue macadam pavement now being laid. The council will meet again next Saturday evening to take official action granting the promises made to the Soo railway published in this issue.

**SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD**

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Mrs. Wm. Maine has been the guest of Oshkosh friends a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hanke came up from Fond du Lac on Thursday to visit for a few days.

Florian Philip, who is now employed in the Soo shops at N. Fond du Lac, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Clara Henke, of Kellner, Wood county, came up Sunday to visit a week at Gus Peickard's home on Prairie street.

Frank Chamberlain, who now makes his headquarters at Racine, is up to enjoy a vacation at the old home in this city.

Miss Lillie McMullin left for Peawaukee Lakes, last Friday, to spend a couple of weeks with Milwaukee friends at that noted resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Redfield are here from St. Louis to enjoy a visit of several days with his parents and among other relative in town.

Chas. G. Sawyer, the St. Louis commission merchant, was up from his cottage at Waupaca lakes to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wright and daughter, Mrs. Marshall, visited in this city last Monday with W. H. Field while returning from their former home at Hancock to Havre, Montana.

Miss Anna Frazer, who has been employed for several years as a stenographer in Chicago, is enjoying her annual vacation at the old home on Strong's avenue with her father and sister.

Ed. W. Krembs has moved his barber shop from the Kingsbury building on the east side of Division street to a building owned by John Zimmer estate, diagonally across the highway at 1015 Division street.

P. H. Burns, a boyhood resident of this county but who has made his home in Milwaukee and Chicago for a number of years, came up from the latter city the first of the week to visit a few days with his sister, Mrs. John Beck.

Miss Mae Scholl went to Wausau last Friday evening and visited friends until Monday. An automobile ride was enjoyed to the Eau Claire delta, about twenty-two miles northeast of Wausau, where the scenery is magnificently grand.

Mrs. Geo. Hoffman of Knowlton and Mrs. H. A. Marlatt of Plover were guests at Chas. Hoffman's the first of the week. The ladies left here Monday morning for Kankakee, Ill., for a visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Geo. Bevins.

Robt. Taylor, C. E. Horn and R. Walton, former residents of this city and employees in the Soo shops at North Fond du Lac, will soon be on the retired list as pensioners, in fact the first named has already been retired under the rule recently in effect.

Chas. McCarthy, who now makes his headquarters in Chicago and travels for a computing scale company, came up Friday morning to visit a couple of weeks at his home on Elk street. He had just returned from Nebraska, where the prospects for big crops were good.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stockley, of Abbotsford, were in town a short time Monday morning while returning home from Chicago. Mr. Stockley is chief train dispatcher for the Soo line and has been located at Abbotsford ever since the change in divisions nearly ten years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkins were here from Rudolph to visit over Sunday with the lady's mother, Mrs. John Spalenka, corner Michigan avenue and Center street. They were accompanied on their return Monday morning by Miss Emily Spalenka, who will visit at Rudolph a few days.

Mrs. Sandy Love went out to Arnott Tuesday morning to assist in the household duties at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. O'Keefe, a few days. Mr. O'Keefe and wife are at Green Bay, going there with their ten year old daughter, who may have an operation performed for intestinal trouble.

The funeral of the late John Zimmer was held from the Fridens church at 3 o'clock last Friday afternoon, followed by interment in Forest cemetery. The pallbearers, selected by the deceased before his death, were Louis Port, W. E. Kingsbury, W. E. Pett, Chas. Helm, Ernest Weber and Geo. Julier.

Loren D. Sparks returned her last week from Wenatchee, Wash., where he had been teaching in the city schools during the past year. The young man is a graduate of our High school and Normal and later was a student at Wisconsin university. He may again enroll at the latter institution and complete one of the courses.

Frank Podach, Jr., returned from an outing near Chippewa Falls, Tuesday. He reports a heavy rain and electrical storm at Chippewa Saturday night, rain coming down in sheets for several hours. Lightning struck and burned the immense chair factory owned by local stockholders, who will lose all they put into the venture, as the outstanding liabilities will absorb the entire insurance money.

Mrs. Eliza White, nearly 93 years of age, who resides at 333 Plover street, fell down the basement stairs at her home last Thursday evening and fractured two ribs on her right side. She had gone to the basement to get a lunch and was ascending the stairway when she tripped and fell down five or six steps. Dr. Smiley was called, and Mrs. White, who is a pioneer of Stevens Point, is doing nicely, notwithstanding her advanced age.

Aug. Moerke of this city traveled several hundred miles by automobile last week in a handsome touring car owned and driven by his son, Ed. Moerke of Oshkosh. The latter gentleman is a wholesale dealer in and shipper of wood and the object of their journey was to look over various stocks in Price and other northern Wisconsin counties. The return journey was made by way of Merrill, where they spent Saturday night and Sunday, leaving there at 7:30 that evening and reaching Stevens Point four hours later. After a brief stop here, Ed. continued on to Oshkosh.

Money in bank makes any man independent and gives him courage to win in business battles.

## YOUR SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND

When you hear your friends speak of receiving their "regular dividends," does it not make you wish for an interest-bearing investment of your own? Depositors in our savings department receive their dividends regularly the first of January and July of each year. On these dates we credit the semi-annual interest on savings deposits, which are earning 3 per cent.

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## First National Bank

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Mrs. L. A. Martin is visiting relatives and friends in Almond.

Miss Julia Riesel left the first of the week to visit Milwaukee and Chicago friends.

Chas. F. Hass has rented the John Zimmer dwelling at 727 Church street and will move from Center avenue within a week or two.

Henry Geisler, of Cambria, was in town a few days last week, coming up to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late John Zimmer.

Mrs. Ben Hafner left on this morning's train for St. John, Calumet county, to visit a couple of weeks at the home of her uncle, Rev. M. Ruppold.

Soo line passenger train No. 2, due here at 2:55 Tuesday afternoon, did not arrive until 8:15 last evening, being delayed at Duluth Junction by a freight wreck. Several cars were thrown from the track but no injuries to the crew are reported.

The John Zimmer estate has for sale an assortment of household goods consisting of various articles for the parlor, dining room, kitchen and bedroom, which will be sold at much below value. Prospective purchasers are invited to call at 727 Church street any time next Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Kusmaul will leave here in a few days for Minneapolis where she will undergo a surgical operation. Her restaurant and confectionery store just north of the Soo passenger station has been re-opened under the management of N. Lamore, who comes from Wausau.

Conductor W. E. West, who has been running a branch of the Portage-Stevens Point freight of the Soo, has been transferred, at his own request, to the Marshfield-Nekoosa branch, and Conductor C. B. Baker takes Mr. West's run, while Conductor John Anderson succeeds Mr. Baker, running opposite on the freight.

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House to rent at 117 Center street, Enquire of O. Parmeter.

Paul Corda, of Chicago, is visiting among relatives in this city.

Mrs. J. H. Springer is visiting friends in Almond and Bancroft.

Miss Millicent Olin has returned from a week's visit at Green Bay.

A new sewing machine at a bargain if taken at once. 440 Main street.

P. N. Peterson was over from Amherst to spend a couple of hours in the city, Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. Maine is enjoying an outing among friends at Waupaca lakes, going there Tuesday morning.

Miss Lucile Blodgett, of Marshfield, has been visiting among her numerous relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Santosky and two children boarded Tuesday morning's train for Berlin for a visit at her old home.

Lawrence Nolan, of Rhinelander, a former Stevens Point young man, renewed acquaintances here last week.

Ambrose H. Gliaszinski, one of Amherst Junction's prosperous merchants, visited in the city last Monday night.

P. F. Higgins, Soo line agent at Custer, was a business caller at Portage and Montello the latter part of last week.

John J. Vance, of Green Bay, traveling auditor for the U. S. Express company, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Mrs. H. N. Warner, of Plover, took the train in this city Tuesday morning for Chicago to visit at her sister's home several days.

Peter Ule was here from Grand Rapids last Monday to visit during the day at the home of his son and greet old friends in town.

For sale or exchange—83 acre farm in Wood county, Wis. Partly improved with buildings. Enquire of F. W. Higbee, Vesper, Wis.

Mrs. L. A. Pomeroy, of Amherst, came up Tuesday to spend a few days as a guest of the Misses Skinner at the McKinley Park cottage.

Misses Fern and Beulah Searles, of Grand Rapids, are visiting a few weeks at the homes of their uncles, Melvin Searles and A. E. Dufoe.

Mrs. Adolph Kann and baby and Mrs. Sam Benish are here from Milwaukee to visit at Max Wirth's home and among other relatives in town.

Mrs. E. A. Sherman went to Marshfield today for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Vedder, and become acquainted with that new grandson.

Judge Murat and Ole Oleson spent the last three days of the week on a fishing trip up the river. If you don't think they caught some fish, ask the Judge.

Louis Larson, an employee of the American express company at St. Paul, is enjoying a week's vacation at the home of his parents on Franklin street, North Side.

The office of Dr. C. von Neupert, Jr., is now located at his home, 412 Church street, directly east of the court house. Office hours from 1 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Mrs. J. F. Sims returned from her visit with relatives and friends at Colby, and Pres. Sims, who has been attending the N. E. A. convention in Boston, will return the last of the week.

Mrs. Aug. Naliborski will leave for Chicago tomorrow morning, where she will spend about three weeks visiting her daughter, Miss May Naliborski, and sister, Mrs. Sam Wasko, at 1617 N. Lincoln street.

Ole Hafsoos, sergeant in the Milwaukee police department, spent Tuesday and part of today in this city visiting his mother and brother, Chief of Police John S. Hafsoos. Ole's young son came up with him.

Grand Rapids Reporter: Among those that spent Sunday at Stevens Point were the Misses Lulu Hayes, Inez Podawiltz, Laura Gaulke, Emma Fritz, Cassie Canning, and Willie Goldberg and Will Gaulke.

Mrs. Jas. P. Leonard, of Stockton, recently operated upon for goitre at Fond du Lac, was able to leave St. Agnes' hospital last week and is now with her younger daughter, Mrs. W. E. Hearn, whose home is in that city.

Miss Nellie Moeschler visited over Sunday with friends at Marshfield, where she has taught school for the past few years. The young lady will join a camping party near Taycheeda, Fond du Lac county, to be gone a week or more.

Ashland Press: Theron B. Pray, ex-president of Stevens Point Normal school, is in the city visiting his son, Attorney Allan T. Pray. Mr. Pray has spent his summers lately on Madeline Island and will be on the island for the next few months.

Otto A. Assmann returned Monday evening from a week's visit at Portage, Kilbourn and other places in that vicinity. He will enjoy an outing at Echo Dells, two miles below town, before resuming his position as assistant cashier at the First National bank.

Mrs. D. W. Harrington, of Milwaukee, has been attending to local property interests and visiting old friends in town a couple of days. Mrs. Harrington is well remembered here as Miss Margaret McGregor, daughter of Mrs. Duncan McGregor, also now a resident of Milwaukee.

Wm. Gaulke, one of the Buena Vista drainage commissioners, was up from his home in Grant township Tuesday. He reports numerous fires on the marsh lands in that vicinity, in fact there is a fire in his field caused by sparks from a Northwestern railroad locomotive, and much grain will be destroyed. Mr. Gaulke says that crops in the drainage district promise to yield abundantly.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Ryerson and three children, of Minot, N. D., arrived in the city Monday afternoon to visit for a few days at the home of his brother-in-law, Arthur Van Order, in Hull. Mr. Ryerson is a former Stevens Point printer, but went west a number of years ago, where he published a paper, held a county office and is now a practicing attorney, meeting with good success.

Miss Mildred Kruger was up from Grand Rapids last Sunday to visit Miss Blanche Dufoe.

Mrs. John Wysocki and Mrs. Adam Boyer are visiting among friends at Wausau and Rhinelander.

Miss Havel Anderson, of Menomonie, Wis., visited in this city last week, the guest of Mrs. Moritz Krembs.

Misses Mae Love and Cassie Canning, of Grand Rapids, spent a few hours with friends in the city Sunday evening.

Henry N. Nelson, cashier of Security bank at Amherst Junction, was a business visitor to this city last Monday.

Master David Oberweiser, who had been with relatives at Neenah for ten days, returned home Saturday evening.

W. W. Culver, telegraph editor of the Milwaukee Free Press, visited his wife and parents in this city last Sunday.

John Forsyth, Jr., of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city visiting his parents while on his way home from a business trip to the north.

Myron, John and Miss Mabel Peterson have returned after a short outing at the farm home of their uncle, Jas. McTigue, in Lanark.

Paul Popp, of Milwaukee, who is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. John Demmerly, at McDill, expects to remain the balance of this week.

Ed. Raizner, clothing salesman at Kuhl Bros. store, is taking his annual vacation and will spend part of this week among friends in Milwaukee.

Miss Irene Krembs, one of the bright young lady clerks at Andrae & Shaffer Co.'s, went to Grand Rapids Monday evening to visit her aunt, Mrs. L. J. Ule.

Miss Myrtle Rogers left here Sunday to join a camping party at Crivitz, Marinette county, where she expects to have an enjoyable time for a couple of weeks.

B. B. Park, Lyman Park and Louis Sharpstein spent the first of the week in the vicinity of Coloma, on a trout fishing trip, and brought back well filled baskets.

Mrs. Henry Huber and three youngest children arrived here from Ashland last week for a visit at the home of her parents, Nelson Strong and wife on the North Side.

Misses Dora Kolinski and Marie Hanson, who have been operating dressmaking parlors in the Goerke building, have retired for a vacation of a couple of months or more.

Firteenth accommodations for transients and regular boarders at the Riverside Hotel, corner Water and Mill streets. Good stable in connection. Give me a call. M. McMann, Prop.

Will C. Bergholte, employed as machinist at Midway station, between St. Paul and Minneapolis, came home Sunday for a ten days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bergholte.

Geo. P. Bushey and Mrs. Clara Koppenhafer, both of Appleton, were married in this city last Thursday by Rev. C. F. Spray, at the latter's residence, and will make their home in the town of Plover.

Our friend N. Jacobs, who spent ten days or more at Mt. Clemens, Mich., has remembered The Gazette with copies of the Detroit papers descriptive of the national gathering of Elks in that city.

Thos. E. Dever, who had been enjoying a week's vacation in this city, returned to Milwaukee last Sunday. Mrs. Dever will remain for a longer visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Langenberg.

John S. Mosey, who has been in the bakery business here for several years, left for Chicago, last Saturday, to take up the study of mechano-therapy, similar to advanced osteopathy, where he expects to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Otis Gault and little son and daughter, of Plainfield, were guests of Miss Leila Chandler last Friday while enroute to Seattle, Wash., for a month's visit with relatives who have been located in that prosperous western city several years.

A. J. Empey, the pioneer merchant at Milladore, is making a very noticeable improvement to his dwelling house by the building of a large addition. The new part will contain parlor and dining rooms on the first floor and three sleeping rooms above.

Reports from the farming country in the vicinity of Milladore and Sherry say that the hay crop is nearly as good as other years, some fields going as high as three tons to the acre. Oats and rye are also yielding much better than expected a few weeks ago.

Rev. Henry J. Ehr went to Portage last Monday morning for a few days' visit among numerous relatives. His brother's wife was badly hurt in an automobile accident several weeks ago, her life being despaired of for a time, but she is now slowly improving.

Geo. McDowell, cornet player in the Symphony orchestra, a local musical organization which fills numerous appointments throughout the state, left here Saturday morning for Camp Douglas where he is devoting the week as bugler in Co. C from Chippewa Falls.

John O'Keefe, a resident of Stevens Point ten years or more ago, when he owned and occupied a home on Division street, died at Appleton July 7th, aged 75 years. He is survived by his widow and a son and daughter, Richard O'Keefe of Appleton and Mrs. Jos. Cheney of Neenah.

Fred M. Sackett, one of the local letter carriers, has been notified of a salary increase of \$100 per year and will in future receive \$1,100. The salaries of Robt. Porter and Arthur Redfield, clerks in the office, will also be raised another \$100 each, making them \$1,100 and \$1,000 respectively.

Chas. A. Bremmer and family returned to Chicago last Sunday. They had been enjoying a visit at Mr. Bremmer's old home in this city for ten days. Miss Edith Bremmer accompanied them as far as Fond du Lac for a visit with her father, Jas. A. Bremmer, who is laid up at St. Agnes' hospital with a broken leg.

Ed. Harnish arrived here rather unexpectedly from Fargo, N. Dak., last Sunday afternoon, to join his wife and son at the home of Mrs. Harnish's sister, Mrs. Frank M. Glennon. Ed. will spend the week here and will be accompanied on his return to the west by his family. He is superintendent of the Fargo lighting company, of which Wm. and Sinclair Mainland of Oshkosh are the principal owners.

M. H. Altenburg, of Dancy, spent Tuesday afternoon in the city.

Andrew P. Eon, county superintendent of schools, is here from Amherst today.

Chas. H. Cashin attended to matters in the legal line at Marshfield a good part of Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. H. Delaney and two daughters, of Amherst, are visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. A. H. MacMillan has gone to Madison and other cities below to spend a few days on a business trip.

Miss Myrtle Playman has returned from a visit of five weeks among friends at Vesper, Wood county.

Miss Iva Decker came up from Plainfield last Friday and visited here until yesterday with Miss Elenore Erickson.

The ladies of St. Stephen's church are holding an ice cream social, this afternoon and evening, on the parish lawn.

Mrs. Hugh Mulligan and little daughter, of Grand Haven, Mich., are guests of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Carle, to remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Adam Kuhl and three children left Tuesday morning for her former home near Coloma, where they will visit for about three weeks.

Dr. G. M. Houlehan has returned from his visit to Milwaukee and is again prepared to attend the wants of patrons at his dental parlors over the postoffice.

Misses Catherine and Helen Goetten came up from Chicago last evening to spend a few days at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bonertz and among other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jas. Purdon and daughters, Misses Clara, Florence and Edith, of Wahpeton, N. D., are visiting at the homes of the former's sister, Mrs. Hans Gunderson and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, in this city.

Allen Roy and family, who have been making their home at Crandon for some time, have returned to the city and taken up their home at 223 St. Louis avenue, he being in the employ of E. M. Copps & Co.

Grace, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sherman, of Loveland, Cal., fell upon a cement walk at her home, a few days ago, breaking one of her limbs above the knee. Mrs. Sherman was formerly Miss Louise Root of this city.

Elmer Strong, a seventeen year old lad who was sent to the Industrial School at Waukegan on the 13th of last month, escaped from that institution last Saturday, word to this effect being received here the following day. His present whereabouts are unknown.

Miss Frances Quinn arrived here last night from Chicago, called by the death of her brother-in-law, W. J. Leonard. Miss Quinn has been teaching in the Chicago schools during the past year or more, and is now engaged as an instructor in a summer school in that city.

The ladies of Parish Guild, Church of the Intercession, are preparing for an "experience social" to take place some time in September. It will be an unique affair, as the membership has adopted various devices for earning a dollar and will tell their experiences at the social.

Rev. L. J. Pescinski's church at Fancher is being equipped with a large and handsome altar costing \$1,400. It was received at that station last week and is said to be a veritable work of art. New altars have also recently been placed in St. Joseph's Academy, just north of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shepard returned to the Veterans' Home at Waupaca, Monday afternoon, after spending several days in the city. While here they sold their two residences and a lot, corner Center avenue and Ellis street, to Miss Anna Ferriss, the consideration being stated as \$1,100.

The Linwood Creamery company of Linwood, and the Tire Protection Co. of this city, both of whom are at least temporarily out of business, have failed to send annual reports to the secretary of state, and unless they do so before Jan. 1, 1911, their corporate rights will be declared forfeited.

Otto F. Mohr, a former employee in local refreshment parlors, was married at Waukegan, Ill., June 29th, to Miss Tillie Kuethe of Marshfield, a recent graduate as trained nurse from Mayo Bros' hospital at Rochester, Minn. The young couple will make their home at Marshfield, where Otto has a good position.

Joseph Fisch, a former well known resident of the North Side, visited among relatives and friends in this city. He returned to Chicago this morning, accompanied by his wife, who had also been here a few days. Mr. Fisch is tiring of the noise and dirt of a big city and may decide to again make Stevens Point his home.

What has long been known as Clark's pond, but which is now only a depression in the ground, is about to be filled in by the Green Bay & Western railroad and next season the entire space will be covered with warehouses for the storage of coal. The "pond" is located across the railroad tracks from the Jackson flouring mill and south of Mill street.

Frank Redfield, who has been at Devil's Lake for the past month with a party of engineers and students in connection with his studies in the civil engineering department of Wisconsin University, has returned home for the summer vacation. There were over fifty students in the party, two being from Notre Dame, and the others from the Madison school.

"Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Hinkley announce the engagement of their daughter, Cora Case, to George Boyington Atwell, Stevens Point, Wis." The above was printed in the society columns of last Sunday's Milwaukee Sentinel. Miss Hinkley was a member of our high school faculty last year and Mr. Atwell is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Atwell.

Fred Wilmut arrived last Thursday morning from the west and will visit a few weeks at his home in Plover. He left here last April and had since been in the Dakotas and Montana. Some portions of that country look very prosperous, but on the whole the crops will be very light because of the long drought. Martin Griffin and John Johnson, whom Fred met at Bowman, N. Dak., have done a rushing and profitable business this season in locating settlers on homesteads in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Win. Rothman and the young people of the Nelson and Park families are camping at Echo Dells for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, of Portage, were guests at Win. Dowsett's home last night while on their way to Chicago for a visit.

Joseph Kryzer, who is engaged as traveling salesman for the Jung Shoe Co., arrived in the city this morning for a few week's vacation.

Mrs. F. H. Hughes and two children, Eleanor and Nelson, of Chicago, have arrived for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Nelson.

Mrs. S. J. Beardsley, formerly Miss Iva Bronson, of Minneapolis, arrived here this morning for an outing at the Bronson camp near Webster.

Ernest Playman, who has a good position with a real estate concern at St. Croix Falls, is enjoying a couple of weeks' vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Playman.

Bert Corrigan left on the early morning train from Custer today for Foley, Benton county, Minn., where he goes to assist his brothers, John and Ernest, in haying and harvesting. The crops are good in that part of the state.

When in need of coal call up T. Olsen, phone 54. Consider these prices: Red Hot coal, \$6.50 per ton; Cast Iron coal, 6.25; Hocking Valley, \$5.75; Watson's, \$5; hard coal, all sizes, \$9; Pocahontas, screened, \$7.25.

W. B. Coddington and family, of Plover, are camping at Echo Dells, and judging from the fact that they have brought with them a milk cow, several laying hens and other live stock, A. M. Nelson says they are there for the season.

William Leonard, Jr., arrived from Chicago on this morning's train, called here by the death of his father, Miss Isabel Leonard, who had been at Toronto, Canada, for several days in the interests of a book publishing house, is also enroute home and is expected on the Soo limited train tonight.

Dr. J. M. Bischoff, who is acting as local agent for Buick automobiles, has disposed of four cars within the past few days, two of 1910 model and the white runabout he has used a few years. The new cars were purchased by S. H. Worzalla, publisher of the Rolnik, Dr. T. H. Hay of River Pines sanatorium, and a traveling salesman. W. H. Coye is now owner of the runabout. Dr. Bischoff has several other sales in prospect.

**Lady Fire Fighters.**

On Tuesday afternoon a fire started in the grass at McDill, destroyed the fence surrounding the G. E. McDill estate grounds, spread to the opposite side of the Soo tracks and threatened the destruction of the Wisconsin Graphite Co. mill. Our informant says that while several men stood about seemingly powerless to subdue the flames, several ladies came to the rescue and were successful in putting out the fire. Among those who are not only entitled to special mention, but a badge as well, for good work and bravery are Miss Lottie Pauckert, Mrs. Emil Pauckert, Mrs. Verrill and the Misses Kunzelman. Hail to the ladies!

# MIDSUMMER SALE

## For 30 Days

WE want to reduce the following lines of goods and are making Big Reductions in Prices to do so. We want the money, more business and less goods. That is our reason for giving this sale.

Summer Dress Goods		Dresses	
7 1/2 cents for.....	10 cent Lawns	\$1.15 for.....	\$1.50 dresses
9 cents for.....	12 1/2 cent Lawns	\$1.50 for.....	\$2.00 dresses
12 1/2 cents for.....	18 cent Lawns	\$2.00 for.....	\$2.50 dresses
18 cents for.....	25 cent Lawns	\$2.25 for.....	\$3.00 dresses
One lot of lawn remnants at about one-half price.		\$3.00 for.....	\$4.00 dresses

Shirt Waists		20 per cent. discount on the following goods:	
35 cents for.....	50 cent waists	Laces, Embroideries, Umbrellas, Parasols, Lace Curtains.	
75 cents for.....	\$1.00 waists	Ladies Hose 25 cents and up, Children's 25 cent Hose, Men's 25 cent Hose.	
\$1.00 for.....	\$1.25 waists	Ladies' Muslin Skirts, Petticoats and Drawers.	
\$1.15 for.....	\$1.50 waists	Women's short and no sleeve Knit vests, all grades. Women's Knit Pants.	
\$1.50 for.....	\$2.00 waists	Men's 50 cent balbriggan summer Shirts and Drawers.	
\$1.75 for.....	\$2.50 waists	Boys' Knickerbockers or short pants suits.	
\$2.25 for.....	\$3.00 waists	Men's negligee Shirts, without collar.	
\$2.50 for.....	\$3.50 waists	Men's negligee Shirts with collar attached, \$1.00 and up.	
\$3.00 for.....	\$4.00 waists	Straw Hats for children, boys and men. Sun Bonnets.	
\$3.75 for.....	\$5.00 waists	Misses, Children's and Boys' Oxfords or Pumps.	

Shoes		CLOTHING	
Lot No. 548. Copeland & Ryder calf Blucher, \$4.00 shoe for.....	\$3.00	One lot of Boys' Long Pants Suits, age 12 to 17, for the sale, \$2.00	
Lot No. 546. Copeland & Ryder patent leather blucher, \$5.00 shoe for.....	\$4.00	One lot of Men's Suits, worth from \$5.00 to \$8.50 a suit, for \$3.00 a suit	
CROSSETTE'S OXFORDS		One lot of Men's Suits worth \$10.00 to \$15.00 a suit, for \$5.00 a suit	
\$2.25 for.....	\$3.00 tan or black	The above suits are short coats, but good serviceable goods.	
\$2.65 for.....	\$3.50 tan or black	The remainder of our Men's Suits are up-to-date and we offer them at 33 1/2 per cent. discount.	
TAN SHOES		Our entire stock of Men's Pants at 20 per cent. discount.	
\$3.00 for.....	\$4.00 shoe		
\$1.00 for.....	Ladies' \$1.25 oxford		
\$1.20 for.....	Ladies' \$1.50 oxford or pump		
\$1.50 for.....	Ladies' \$2.00 oxford or pump		
\$1.95 for.....	Ladies' \$2.50 oxford or pump		
\$2.25 for.....	Ladies' \$3.00 oxford or pump		
\$3.00 for.....	Ladies' \$4.00 tan oxford		
The above shoes come in tan, patent leather, black kid and dull finish calf.			
WOMEN'S LACE or BLUCHER SHOES			
\$2.25 for.....	a \$3.00 shoe		
\$2.65 for.....	a \$3.50 shoe		
CROSSETTE SHOES for MEN			
\$2.25 for.....	a \$3.00 shoe		
\$2.75 for.....	a \$3.50 shoe		
\$4.00 for.....	a \$5.00 shoe		
The fall stock which has just arrived is not included in the above lot.			

Sale ends Saturday, August 20th.

# IRVING S. HULL

## Big Cut in Men's Suits

\$10.00 SUITS now	\$6.50	\$18.00 SUITS now	\$13.00
\$12.00 SUITS now	\$9.00	\$20.00 SUITS now	\$14.00
\$15.00 SUITS now	\$11.00	\$22 and \$25 SUITS	\$17.00

This lot composed of spring light weight materials

## Ladies', Children's and Men's Low Shoes

LADIES' TAN OXFORDS	\$1.25	MEN'S TAN OXFORDS	\$2.75
CHILDREN'S PUMPS \$1.05 to \$1.20			

## Ladies' Colored Umbrellas MARKED WAY DOWN

\$5.00 Umbrellas for	\$4.00	\$3.50 Umbrellas for	\$2.75
2.50 Umbrellas for	2.00	3.00 Umbrellas for	2.40

## MEN'S FANCY VESTS worth from \$1.50 to \$5.00

We will give you your choice for only **\$1.00**

## MEN'S LINEN COLLARS. Slightly soiled from handling.

We offer you these for only **9c each**

## LADIES' BLACK SILK WAISTS. Regular \$5.00

Waists. Are now reduced to **\$4.00**

# P. Rothman & Co.

**DID YOU VOTE?**



With all his faults, a fly doesn't bother one as much as does a mosquito.

**A Frightful Wreck**

Of train, automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Bucklen's Arnica Salve—earth's greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, its supreme. Surest pile cure. 25 cents at H. D. McCulloch Co.

They are fighting in Nicaragua, but why they are fighting no one seems to know.

The world's most successful medicine for bowel complaints is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It has relieved more pain and suffering, and saved more lives than any other medicine in use. Invaluable for children and adults. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

Blondes are becoming fewer according to statistics. So many are "letting it go back dark," nowadays.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and the kidneys congested, causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

The individual census cards make a pile 16 miles high. And the man higher to presumably is the top card.

**Work 24 Hours A Day.**

The busiest little things ever made are Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changes weakness into strength, languor into energy, brain-fag into mental power; curing constipation, headache, chills, dyspepsia, malaria. 25 cents at H. D. McCulloch Co.

A liberal supply of sentimentalism is good for a man; it keeps him from brooding over his non-performances.

**HOW TO CURE ECZEMA, PIMPLES, AND DANDRUFF.**

We desire to say when we took the agency for ZEMO, we are convinced that it was a valuable remedy for eczema, pimples, and dandruff. Yet we must frankly admit that ZEMO has far exceeded expectations as a treatment for skin diseases. We are pleased to state that we shall continue the agency as ZEMO has given splendid results wherever recommended. Our customers like ZEMO too because it is a clean vegetable liquid for external use.

ZEMO effects its cures by drawing to the surface of the skin and destroying the germ life that causes the disease, leaving the skin clear and healthy. It does not soil the clothing or linen and is used freely on infants.

With every purchase we give a booklet on skin diseases explaining in simple words how any person can be cured at home of any form of skin or scalp diseases by this clean, scientific remedy. H. D. McCulloch Co., druggists.

A St. Louis man chewed up a \$5 bill with a sandwich. At that it was about as cheap as a piece of meat of corresponding size.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism, and always affords quick relief. Sold by H. D. McCulloch Co.

**IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS**

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## A PIONEER AERONAUT

The Brave and Daring Frenchman Pilatre de Rozier.

TRAGIC END OF HIS CAREER.

He Was the First Aeronaut to Lose His Life From a Balloon, and He Was Dashed to Death With a Companion From a Height of 1,700 Feet

Jean Francois Pilatre de Rozier who was born at Metz in 1756 and who was killed, a martyr to his zeal, by a fall from his balloon at Boulogne, France, June 15, 1785, was the first aeronaut to lose his life in the dangerous work of mastering the air.

Pilatre de Rozier, who had made ascents in the Montgolfier balloon, determined to solve the question of balloons as mediums for carrying passengers and could think and dream of nothing but how he could fashion a machine that would carry him on an aerial voyage. When his balloon was finished he made some twenty-three ascents, nearly always alone, but occasionally accompanied by the Marquis d'Arlandes, a brave soldier and one who had faith in Pilatre's ideas. The balloon was always held captive by strong cords.

Whenever he went up there was a crowd to watch him. One day there was a thrilling moment. The balloon drifted toward some high trees, and it seemed inevitable that the tissues would be torn by the branches and Pilatre dashed to the ground. They saw the young man calmly throw a bunch of straw on his fire and quickly pour over it two small bottles of oil. Instantly the fierce heat sent the balloon up safely, and it swept beyond the danger line of the trees. A mighty shout went up from the crowd, and when he came down Pilatre had an ovation.

He now felt ready to make his grand experimental trial trip, but the king would not allow him to go, as he feared to lose so brave and scientific a man. Pilatre was in despair, and at length the king said that he would give him the opportunity to test the safety of his balloon in the following way: He would give full pardon to any two criminals who were willing to go up in it, provided Pilatre did not himself go.

The scientist was very angry. He said: "What! Shall vile criminals, foul murderers, men rejected from the bosom of society, have the glory of being the first to navigate the air? Never while Pilatre de Rozier draws breath!"

After repeated prayers for permission to make his experiment he appealed to the influence of the Duchess de Polignac, the governess of the royal children. To her petitions the Marquis d'Arlandes added his and asked to be allowed to accompany Pilatre. At length consent was obtained.

On Nov. 21, 1783, Pilatre and the marquis made an ascent from the gardens of the Chateau de la Muette. In the Bois They sailed safely across the Seine, over the Hospital for Old Soldiers, over the Military school and landed about five miles from Paris. Their return was greeted with wild enthusiasm.

The marquis rode back, but Pilatre had to go first to his house and get a coat, for some one had stolen his in the mixup of their coming down, when the balloon of course, collapsed.

Pilatre now announced that he would cross the channel from Boulogne to England. A wealthy Frenchman advanced the money to construct an improved machine that he was certain could stay in the air as long as necessary. This new invention was a balloon filled with hydrogen gas. Under it was a cylinder by which he expected to rarely the air contained in it so that he could either ascend or descend easily and so reach currents of air that would take him in any desired direction.

It was five months before there came a day suitable for making the aerial trip. A physician who loved adventure and believed in the success of the experiment went with him from Boulogne.

They cut the cords that held the balloon at 7 o'clock in the morning. The ascent was majestic, and when at a height of 200 feet the balloon swept into a current of air that took it toward the channel. Suddenly a cross current swept it back.

Pilatre hastened to let some cold air into the cylinder and in some way made a rent in the balloon. They were 1,700 feet high, and instantly they were dashed to the earth, mangled and crushed frightfully.

France still remembers his enthusiastic faith in his scientific efforts, and in many places are memorials and inscriptions that perpetuate his fame.—Boston Globe.

**Pitcher Vickers to Turn Catcher.**

Baltimore may develop another Roger Bresnahan. Pitcher Rube Vickers' dreams may materialize if the catching staff should get crippled. He has signified his intentions along that line. The Reuben is patiently waiting for the opportunity to don the wind pad and the wire screen. Like Roger, he may get his chance, and this chance may be the development of another pitcher-catcher.

**Indisputable Proof.**

"You say they contested the will of the deceased?"

"Yes, and the court held that he was suffering from hallucinations."

"On what grounds?"

"It appears that he left three-fourths of his property to his mother-in-law."

—London Opinion.

## RICHNESS IN CREAM.

An Expert Sets Up Six Rules That Are Valuable.

According to a thoroughly trained dairyman, these rules should be followed to preserve richness in cream:

First.—Position of cream screw. If the cream screw is turned away from the center of bowl the cream will be thinner; if it is turned toward the center of bowl the cream will be richer.

Second.—Temperature of milk. If other conditions are similar the cream will be richer when the milk is skimmed cold. Skim the milk as it comes from the cow before it has lost the animal heat. By skimming while the milk is warm the separator will do better work.

Third.—Speed of separator. The faster the separator is run the richer the cream will be. A separator should always be turned at the speed recommended by the separator factory.

Fourth.—The inflow of milk. The greater the inflow the more cream and the thinner the cream. If we want to produce cream of uniform thickness it is important that inflow valve is always opened the same. Even then there may be a difference in the inflow of milk owing to the amount of milk in the tank. The higher the milk stands in the tank the greater is the pressure and the faster the milk will run through the separator.

Fifth.—Amount of skimmilk or water used in flushing out separator bowl. For that purpose skimmilk should always be used and not water. Milk will remove the cream more completely, and water is injurious to the flavor.

Sixth.—Richness of milk. Under similar conditions the separator will always give the same amount of cream and skimmilk from the same amount of whole milk. It is evident that it makes considerable difference in the richness of cream whether the milk tests 4 or 3 per cent fat.

## MILK FROM THE GOAT.

Boiled and Used With Coffee, It Is Most Delicious.

The average length of a goat's life is about twelve years. Eight goats will subsist upon the amount of feed required for one cow. Some goats give from three to four quarts of milk daily. The proportion of households in Germany that keep goats is 75 per



A TRIA OF ANGORAS

cent. Their keeping is not confined to the poorer people, but extends to the prosperous middle classes.

Goats are very fond of salt, which serves its purpose best when given properly. While some feeders prefer to supply loose salt at regular intervals, the usual practice is to place a lump of rock salt where the goats can help themselves whenever they desire to do so. If goats are accustomed to the use of salt they will not take too much of it, but instances are related where Angora goats have been killed by a too liberal supply of salt after having been deprived of it for some time.

Boiled and used with coffee, goat's milk is delicious, giving the latter a rich creamy appearance. A few drops in a cup of tea are more than equivalent to a teaspoonful of the milk of a cow.

**Rape, Rye or Vetches For Sheep.**

It is a fine plan to sow rape, rye or vetches for the sheep after the flush of pasture has gone by.

## THE DAIRYMAN

**Pointer on Milking Cows.**

A cow with a big bag pressed full of milk cannot be very comfortable. Milk such cows three times a day.

**Give the Calf Pure Water.**

Give every calf a chance to drink pure, fresh water every day. It may take only a few swallows, but it needs it.

**Value of Aeration.**

The season of new, lush grass is trying to the dairyman. However, most of the trouble from "cow's breath" may be cured by aeration.

**Keeping Spring Calves in Box Stalls.**

The spring calves should be kept in roomy box stalls the first summer, so they can be protected from the scalding sun and bothering flies.

**Put the Cows on Pasture Early.**

This is the time when cows go to pasture through a large part of the country. Give them a good start. Keep them in good heart till they have really made the change from hay to grass. It will pay.

**Essentials to Dairy Success.**

There are two important essentials to success in the dairy business. One is to make sure you are not feeding an unprofitable cow, and the other is to see to it that you get all that is coming to you when you sell her products.

## A DANGEROUS FISH.

The Peril That Comes With Catching an Electric Ray.

Trouble lurks in the least suspected spots. One would think a smooth, shallow cove a safe place in which to float in a good craft, yet Charles Frederick Holder met with an adventure in just such a spot, which he relates in "Big Game at Sea." The author was visiting a friend on the New England coast, who was given to the study of natural history.

One day the author accompanied his friend on a collecting trip, and here is the story of the result as he told it:

Opposite his house was a little bay with a clean sandy bottom. Over this we slowly drifted. I sat in the stern, enjoying the day and examining the curious things my friend drew out of the water. Suddenly he gave an ejaculation, and I saw him cling, seemingly helpless, to his pole. His face was ashy pale, with a white appearance like one stricken with a fatal disease.

I sprang forward just in time to catch him as he fell back into the boat and lowered him to the seat. At first he could only motion toward the water. He was almost rigid. I finally recovered enough to say "Torpedo!"

I saw the harpoon he was holding dancing about, evidently forced into a large fish. Grasping it, I soon discovered the trouble, for I received an electric shock strong enough to almost knock me over. I dropped the pole.

By this time my friend had recovered enough to tell me to let the fish remain where it was. With difficulty I rowed to shore. When the boat was grounded I picked up an old glass bottle, took a turn over it with the line and with the help of this homemade insulator, pulled the fish on shore.

It proved to be one of the largest torpedoes, or electric rays. I have ever seen. Under certain conditions it would have been capable of killing a man. When touched the fish would not its eyes dimly and give a low croak.

I have never known a man to be killed by one, but many have been injured, and, as for my friend, he did not recover in a week.

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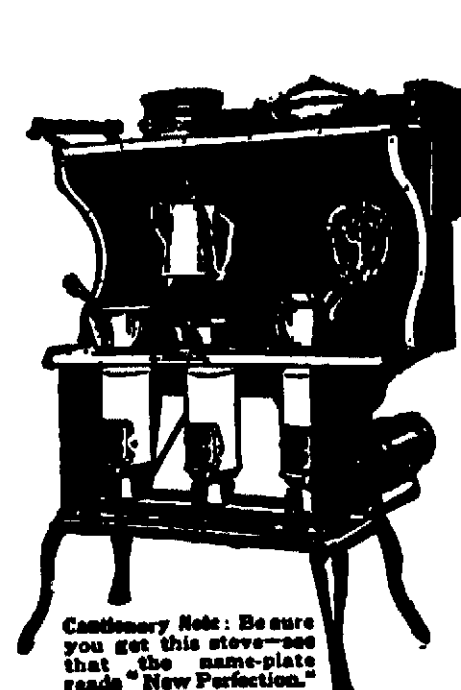
A small boy in the village school when writing a composition on "Quakers" wound up by saying, "Quakers never quarrel, never get into a fight, never claw and never scratch." Then he added, "Paw is a Quaker, but I really don't think maw is"—Dellneator.

**Where He Bluffs.**

"Does Bliggins ever bluff when he plays cards?"

Never until he gets home and explains where he has been"—Washington Star.

True friends have no solitary joy or sorrow—Channing



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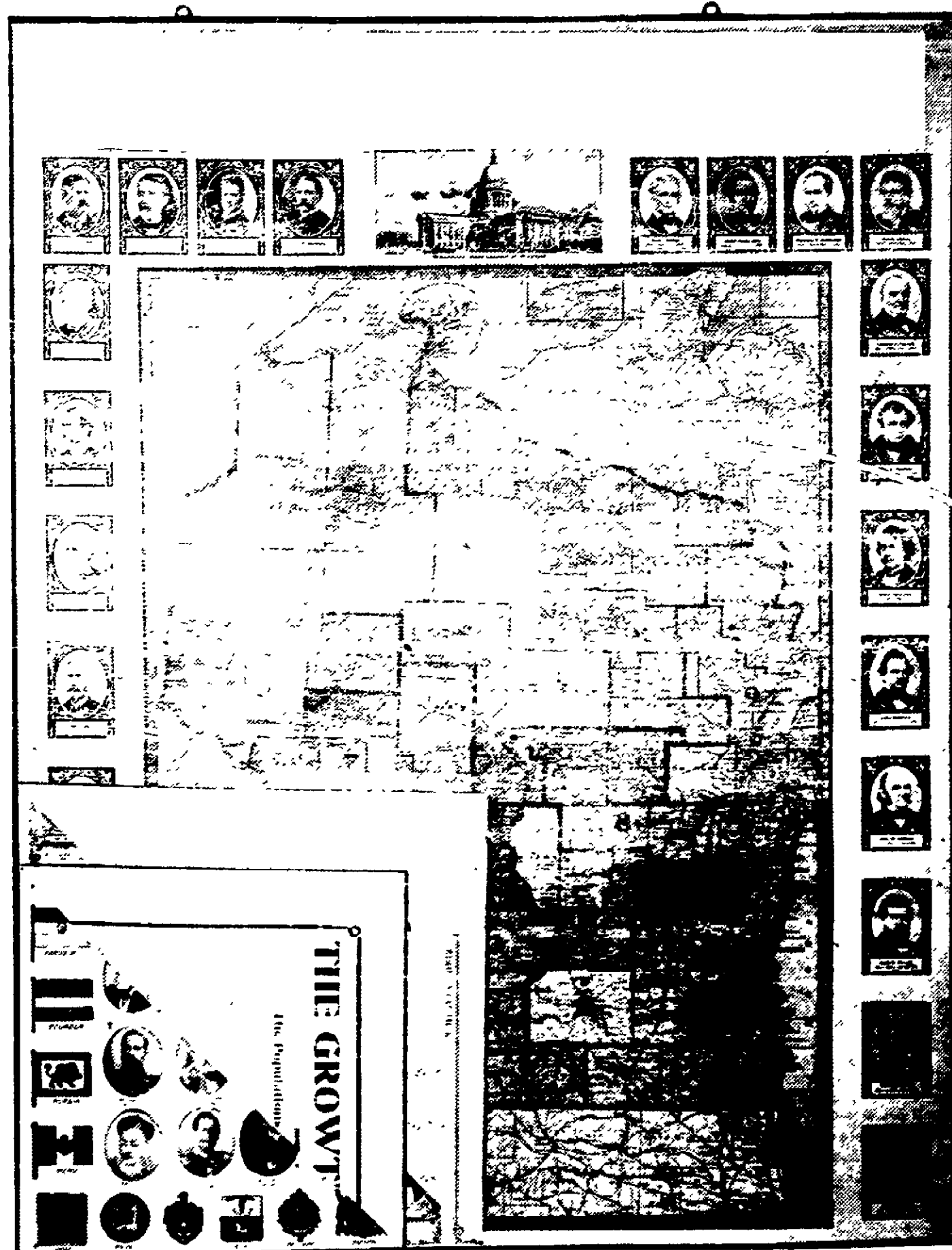
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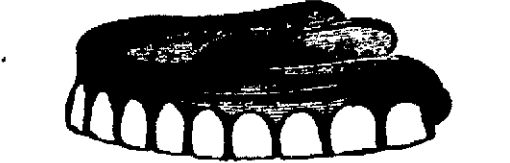
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QUESTIONS IN COURT

A Series That Moved an Observ-  
er to Turn Critic.

SOME GEMS HE PRESERVED.

The Lawyers Didn't Seem to See the  
Ridiculous Phase of the Inquiry, but  
It Loomed Large to the Man With an  
Idea That the Law is Solemn.

A man who spent several days in a  
courtroom listening to the examination  
of witnesses was struck with the re-  
flection that some shining legal minds  
would not be unduly dimmed by the  
infusion of a few of the principles of  
logic. The time taken up by attorneys  
in drawing the conclusion that a juror  
who lives at a given address makes  
his home there and then referring the  
conclusion to the juror for confirma-  
tion has not been computed, but any  
one mathematically inclined may fig-  
ure it out by multiplying the following  
examples by any handy large round  
number.

"What is your occupation?"  
"I am a switchman."

"On a railroad?"  
The obvious answer which the juror's  
awe of his surroundings prevents him  
from making would be, of course,  
"No, in an ice cream parlor."

"Judge," said a juror, "I would like  
to be excused from service. When  
summoned I was making arrange-  
ments for my brother-in-law's fu-  
neral."

"Is your brother-in-law dead?" in-  
quired the court.

It developed that he was.

"Now, Mr. Juror," came another  
question, "what is your age?"

"Forty-four."

"Forty-four years old?"

That is exactly what the juror  
meant. The lawyer guessed right the  
very first time.

Here is another flash that came to  
one of the attorneys. "Where do you  
live?" he asked.

"At 4141 Blank street."

"You reside there, do you?"

Once in awhile there is a funny an-  
swer which isn't to be wondered at  
considering the power of suggestion.

"Are you married?"

"Yes."

"Any family?"

"Two."

But the balance is well on the law-  
yers' side. Witness this: The ques-  
tioner had asked if a juror was relat-  
ed in any way to any of the princi-  
pals or witnesses in the case.

"I am a brother-in-law of Mr. Blank,  
one of the witnesses," was the reply.

"You married his sister, then?"

He had.

"Let me ask you now, Mr. Juror,  
have you formed any opinion about  
the guilt or innocence of this defend-  
ant?"

"I have."

"Is it a fixed opinion or is it one that  
could be changed by evidence?"

"It could be changed if the evidence  
were strong enough."

"Then you would not call it a defi-  
nite opinion?"

"No."

"It is a vague opinion, then?"

"Yes."

"Now, Mr. Juror, follow me closely,  
if you please. You say your opinion  
is a vague one and not definitely fixed.  
Now, then, if that is the case and you  
went into that jury box and listened  
to the evidence adduced from that wit-  
ness stand and heard the law expound-  
ed by the judge from that bench,  
would it not be possible for you to lay  
aside that opinion and concur in a ver-  
dict warranted by the evidence and  
the instructions of the court?"

"Yes."

The attorney, having received the  
same answer to his long question as  
to his short one, is perfectly satisfied  
and throws a triumphant look at his  
colleague, which says, "I knew I could  
get it out of him if I kept at him long  
enough."

Here is another astonishing deduc-  
tion: A juror took the stand dressed  
in a blue uniform with brass buttons.  
Around his belt was strapped a money  
changer. The examining attorney look-  
ed at him long and searchingly and  
then said in a tone which admitted of  
no trifling:

"You are a street car conductor?"

It was the same attorney who forced  
this confession from another juror:

"What is your occupation?"

"I'm a bookkeeper for Blank & Co."

"You keep books in the office?"

Unmasked, the bookkeeper broke  
down and made a clean breast of it.

"Now, Mr. Juror, be good enough to  
state how old you are."

"Fifty-six years."

"How long have you resided in this  
state?"

"Fifteen years."

"Then you were not born here?"

The trapped man admitted the truth.  
Here is another:

"Were you born in Missouri?"

"No, sir."

"Oh, I see. Then you moved here  
from some other state." And then  
in a "come-come-don't-delay-the-court"  
tone of voice, "Where did you come  
from?"

"Chicago."

"Chicago, Ill.?"—Kansas City Times.

Unhappy Man!

"Yes, my old friend, I have been the  
victim of misfortune in all my love af-  
fairs. My first sweetheart died, the  
second jilted me, and the third became  
my wife."

Tears are often the telescope through  
which men see far into heaven.—  
Beecher.

CHINESE CUNNING.

An Official's Subtle Scheme For Secur-  
ing His Prisoners.

One of the funniest stories about  
Chinatown is not really Chinese. It  
was told by a British consul at one of  
the treaty ports. He arrested nine de-  
linquent Chinese, intending to turn  
them over to the tender mercies of the  
native magistrate next morning. Mean-  
while he gave them into the custody  
of a Chinese policeman, telling him to  
lock them up, though there was no jail  
at the consulate. But the policeman  
was equal to the emergency. He so-  
lemnly saluted, saying, "I obey!" and  
marched his men off. "Soon he return-  
ed and announced that they were  
safely caged."

The consul was curious to see how  
and where. He followed his police-  
man to the yard. There he saw the  
nine prisoners dancing round the con-  
sulate flagstaff, lugubriously chanting  
the Chinese equivalent of "ring around  
a rosey." Whenever the dance showed  
signs of flagging the policeman stirred  
them up with a long pole. They seem-  
ed at first sight to be holding each  
other's hands, but, looking closer, the  
consul saw that they were handcuffed  
together.

"Well," said the consul, "if they are  
chained in a ring around the flagstaff  
they can certainly not get away. But  
why do you make them dance?"

"Ah," answered the Chinese police-  
man, with infinite cunning, "so that  
they cannot climb up the pole and get  
away!"

The consul broke out into a loud  
British laugh and tried to explain to  
the Chinaman that the nine prisoners  
could certainly not all climb up the  
pole at once, but the Chinaman had  
his idea and held to it. So the dance  
went on.—Harper's Weekly.

AWED THE STUDENTS.

Jean Richepin's First Lesson as an In-  
structor in Literature.

At the age of twenty-two Jean Riche-  
pin, the French poet and dramatic au-  
thor, accepted a place as instructor in  
literature in a school which prepared  
students for the military college of  
St. Cyr. His employers warned him  
that the future army officers took very  
little interest in belles-lettres and that  
their principal occupation in class was  
raising chaos.

Richepin's first lesson began amid  
a storm of whistling and catcalls. But  
the young instructor's voice boomed  
out above the uproar and imperiously  
commanded silence. "Gentlemen," he  
said, "I am not here because I like it.  
I am here for my living. Is any one  
of you going to stand in the way? If  
there is, I should be obliged if he will  
tell me so face to face on the Place du  
Pantheon, where I am ready to meet  
him at any time. And inasmuch as we  
are all of us about the same age, you  
understand, of course, that the inter-  
view will be with bare fists."

And, so saying, young Richepin  
brought his clinched hand down upon  
the desk, and the desk broke in two,  
and he and his pupils lived happily  
ever afterward. Thus runs the official  
legend.—Argonaut.

Crafty M. Blanc.

Blanc, the founder of the Monte Car-  
lo gambling resort, was well aware  
of the desperate character of many  
of his customers. Knowing that they  
included the scum and riffraff of the  
world, he took precautions against  
them. He never carried any money,  
which fact he announced so frequently  
and publicly that it was known every-  
where along the Riviera that the mil-  
lionaire Blanc never had a penny on  
his person. But he carried in a pocket-  
book a draft on red paper for several  
hundred thousand francs, payable to  
the indorsee. He feared kidnapping as  
much as robbery, and in case of ab-  
duction he intended to ransom himself  
with this draft. But the instructions  
at his office were not to cash a red  
draft with his signature unless a tele-  
gram was received from him ordering  
it to be done.

A Painful Process.

I was quite surprised one day when  
upon telling my little five-year-old girl,  
who was of a saving disposition, that  
I would put her pennies in the bank  
to have her educated to find that she  
burst into violent weeping and shout-  
ed, "I won't be educated; it hurts."

"Hurts?" I queried. "What do you  
mean?"

"I know," she sobbed. "They take  
a knife and scrape your arm and it  
sweels up. I won't take my money to  
be educated."—Delicatore.

Friends In Need.

"I don't put much faith in proverbs,"  
said Brown to Jones. "For instance,  
look at the oft quoted one, 'A friend  
in need is a friend indeed.' Now, most  
of my experience with friends in need  
has been that they wanted to borrow.  
Give me the friends that are not in  
need."

The Other Way.

"Then you don't want to leave foot-  
prints upon the sands of time?"

"Nix," answered the politician guard-  
edly. "All I want is to cover up my  
tracks."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Noise Explained.

She (sternly)—I heard a noise very  
late. He (facetiously)—Was it the  
night falling? She—No, it wasn't. It  
was the day breaking.—Baltimore  
American.

The Glory of Life.

To be a strong hand to another in  
the time of need, to be a cup of  
strength to a human soul in a time of  
weakness, is to know the glory of life.

It is impossible to be just if one is  
not generous.—Roux.

FOR THE CHILDREN

A Jolly Game.

Summer time is the season for  
games. If you are fond of playing  
with your friends here is a jolly, in-  
teresting game.

Every player except the one who  
holds the office of reader selects a  
trade or profession, which he must re-  
tain throughout the game. When all  
have chosen their trades the reader  
opens a book at random and reads a  
passage from it aloud, but when he  
comes to any common noun he looks  
at one of the tradesmen, who must in-  
stantly name some article that he is  
supposed to have for sale or some im-  
plement connected with the exercise  
of his craft. By this substitution of  
one noun for another the most pathetic  
passage is converted into an indescrib-  
able jumble of absurdities.

In the following tale the quoted  
words are supposed to be supplied by  
the different tradesmen in the place of  
the nouns omitted by the reader: One  
offered the president a "bucket" of the  
most precious "airships;" another a  
curious piece of a "riding boots" made  
by Reynolds; the great; another a piece  
of "induce pie" from the looms of Ja-  
pan; another a "porous plaster" said  
to broil meats to perfection; another  
an "automobile" in a "warning pan"  
inlaid with ivory; another a "coffin"  
full of "lemon juice" spread with  
"pearls." "A rocking horse" was  
brought from Alaska, and another a  
gold brick of exquisite beauty from  
the depths of the ocean.

An Experiment With Light.

Place a vertical screen in front of a  
couple of candles, and between the  
candles and the screen interpose some  
opaque object, such as a large book,  
having on top of it a little figure cut  
out of cardboard. This will give you  
two black shadows, corresponding  
with the candles. Now put between  
the candle on the right and your card-  
board figure a bit of colored glass or  
a glass filled with colored water, say  
red, and you will see the image on the  
right in red, while the figure on the  
left will have disappeared. But look-  
ing a little more attentively you will  
see that is now replaced by the like-  
ness of a figure in pale green, the com-  
plementary color to that which illumi-  
nates the screen. If you put yellow  
liquid in your glass the left hand fig-  
ure will seem violet. If you use blue  
water the left hand figure will look  
orange. The figure on the right will  
always be the color of the water.—  
Magical Experiments.

A Bird That Sews.

The tailor birds are East Indian  
warblers that wear plain clothes, but  
live in a fancy tailored dwelling, for  
in building a nest these clever birds  
either ~~sew~~ dead leaf to a living one  
or join two neighboring leaves togeth-  
er so as to form a kind of hanging  
pouch, which remains attached to the  
branch by the leaf stalk of one or both  
leaves. The threads which they use  
consist generally of twisted fibers or  
of actual cotton threads, the bill serv-  
ing for a needle in puncturing holes  
in the leaves and in drawing the  
threads through. Occasionally if a  
large enough leaf is found the nest  
may be formed by drawing together  
the free edges of the leaf. The lower  
part of the pouch contains the nest,  
which is a cup of soft materials and  
is entered from above. The actual  
structure of this ingenious trade has  
never been scientifically observed, but  
neither the bird nor its nest is uncom-  
mon.

A Queer Old Riddle.

Two legs sat upon three legs and  
had one leg in hand; then came four  
legs and took away one; then up  
started two legs and threw three legs  
at four legs and brought back one leg.

Answer: A woman with two legs sat  
on a stool with three legs and had a  
leg of mutton in her hand; then came  
a dog with four legs and took away  
the leg of mutton; then up started  
the woman with two legs and threw the  
stool with three legs at the dog with  
four legs and brought back the one  
leg of mutton.

A Natural Question.

Little Margaret went with her moth-  
er to the dock to see her auntie set sail  
on the big ocean steamer. Margaret  
had never seen a big steamer before,  
and she watched everything with great  
interest. The great boat slipped slowly  
away from the dock, and Margaret  
waved her hand frantically with the  
rest. Then she looked up at her moth-  
er very solemnly.

"Mamma," she questioned, "does the  
water follow that ship all the way  
over to England?"

When Reggie Tells a Story.

You have to do what he thinks right;  
You can't sit still to hear his tale;  
You have to let him in the light,  
Or else the fun is sure to fail.

When Reggie tells a story.

"There comes the bear," he cries in glee  
"Nurse, you're the bear; sit up and  
howl."  
Here, Amy, you must stand by me  
And hug me tight at every growl.

"When I say 'bow-wow' the gun goes off  
I've killed you, nurse, but move your  
head  
And give a little 'yow' yow  
To let us know when you are dead."

"Then, Amy, I must kiss your hand,  
And here's a ring for you to carry,  
And over there's the Prince's land,  
Where you and I shall go to marry."

And then nurse runs; the prince runs after  
And brandishes his dreadful gun—  
While Amy jumps and screams with  
laughter.

"I think we have the mostest fun—  
When Wexley tells a story."—  
Chicago News.

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Gods.

There is that in man which sooner  
or later is awakened to dissatisfaction  
with the gods of his own choos-  
ing.—W. Boyd Carpenter.

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you. You've lost the strong, healthy  
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kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood.  
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Wisconsin. Fred Paulsen, August  
Paulsen and William Wiseman, plaintiffs,  
vs. Anna Long and Benjamin Long, defendants.  
The State of Wisconsin.—To the said de-  
fendants:

You are hereby summoned to appear within  
twenty days after service of this summons,  
exclusive of the day of service, and defend  
the above entitled action in the court afore-  
said, and in case of your failure so to do, judg-  
ment will be rendered against you according  
to demand of the complaint, of which a copy  
is herewith served upon you.

JOHN HARRINGTON,  
Plaintiffs' Attorney.  
P. O. Address, 1512 Main Street, Oaksho-  
win, Winnebago County, Wisconsin.

To the above named Defendants:—Take  
notice that the verified complaint in the  
above entitled action is on file in the office of  
the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Portage  
County, Wisconsin, in the Court House in  
the City of Stevens Point, Portage County,  
Wisconsin.

JOHN HARRINGTON,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Dissolution Notice.

To whom it may concern: Notice is here-  
by given that partnership heretofore exist-  
ing between Geo. J. Margat and Wm. L.  
Johnson, proprietors of the Smoke Shop  
at 428 Main Street, is this day dissolved by  
mutual consent.

STEVENS POINT, WIS., July 1, 1910.  
(Sigs.) J. MAYNARD,  
W. M. R. JOHNSON.

NOTICE.



## LANARK.

Mrs. Frank Dorski spent Sunday at L. R. Moberg's. James McTigue and family drove up to Stevens Point Saturday.

Miss Clara Leahy has gone to Milwaukee to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Peter Dorsha of Buena Vista visited over Sunday at Rev. J. E. Meagher's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sanders, Jr., of Blaine, were visitors at Wall Holman's Sunday.

John Loftis spent Saturday and Sunday of last week visiting friends in Green Bay.

Joe Clinton, who has been working at Superior for the past few months, is home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young of Almond drove over to attend church services here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hearn of Waupaca were visitors at the home of William Leahy last Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Collier of Blaine spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Leahy.

Miss Marie Oberlatz of Stevens Point is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Peter Kolz, this week.

Miss Margaret Wandy, who is attending the summer school at Stevens Point, spent Sunday with her parents.

A very pleasant dance was held at William Hewitt's, Friday evening. A large crowd was present and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Among those who have gone down on the marsh near Gills Landing to put up hay are E. M. Parson, Robert Carey, Peter Kolz, William Dougherty, John Dougherty and Patrick Gray.

## ELLIS.

John Higgins of Custer was in Torun Sunday looking after his hay land.

The dry weather still continues and the crops are gradually going to ruin.

Geo. W. Allen spent Sunday at Ellis, looking after hay marshes he has to sell.

We have mass an hour earlier at St. Martin's church while the warm weather prevails.

Miss Prexoda Wysocki is spending her vacation at Milwaukee with her sister, Mrs. Kabat.

Miss Sophy Wysocki returned from Milwaukee last Saturday night, where she spent the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. Kabat.

John J. Wysocki of Beach, N. D., reports fine crops and a sufficiency of rain to keep vegetation growing steadily. He says the crops will not be quite as good as last year because of the heat. He is well satisfied with the golden west.

Aug. Oesterle and wife of Polonia, Mrs. John Eiden, Mrs. Geo. Allen and children, Martin Welch and wife and daughter Theresa of Stockton returned from Portage Monday night. The gentlemen report the crops south of Packwaukee as looking fine, hay going from one and one-half to two and one-half tons to the acre, and oats 3 feet high; in fact crops couldn't look better. Oats are selling at 40 cents and hay at \$11 and \$12 per ton.

The Stockton ball team came up Sunday and played the Ellis team, the game ending much in Stockton's favor, 32 to 7. The Ellis boys are badly in need of practice. Stockton has a fine team, their battery being Walter and Henry Welch. Master Henry as catcher, was the star player. The visitors showed themselves to be a fine lot of young men, using no vulgar language whatever in coaching. A return game will be played Sunday, July 31st, at Stockton.

## DANCY.

Miss Jennie Laughlin of Auburndale enjoyed a visit among relatives in this village the past week.

Take with first the drought, and then the fires, and now comes the frost; any crop at all has a hard time to pull thru.

The commissioners of Dancy drainage district met at Wausau last Saturday to transact business. The engineer, J. A. Harman of Peoria, was also present.

G. G. Kneller and son George enjoyed a very pleasant auto trip to Marshfield and other neighboring towns a day last week, with C. E. Guenther and party of Knowlton, in Mr. Guenther's touring car.

S. G. Stoddard and Mrs. Belle Whitaker of Stevens Point and Clarence Whitaker and daughters of Plover spent a few days in this village and vicinity the past week, the guests of M. H. and Holmes Altenburg.

Henry Van Dunk of Wells, Mich., spent a couple of days the past week in this village visiting his brother-in-law, G. G. Kneller and family. Mr. Van Dunk has for some years been superintendent of the machinery department of the Isaac Stephenson works at Wells, which town is owned by Mr. Stephenson, and he is just returning from a western trip. He reports all of the middle west through which he passed suffering from drought as severely as this section.

John Marchel, Sr., one of our most respected and prominent residents, met with a very severe and painful accident last Thursday. He was assisting his sons in laying a roof on a pen he was building for his hogs, when he stepped on the end of a plank that had slipped off from the support and fell to the ground, a distance of about eight feet, fracturing a hip bone and receiving other bruises that are very hard for one in advanced years. Dr. Daniels of Mosinee was called and upon learning the seriousness of the injury summoned Dr. R. W. Jones of Wausau to assist him. Mr. Marchel is getting along as well as can be expected. His many friends sincerely hope for his speedy recovery.

## PLOVER.

Mrs. J. Maxfield went to Wausau last week.

Mrs. Mary Dolloff of Waupaca is visiting here.

Miss Ruth Scribner of Stevens Point spent a few days here with friends.

At A. Pitcher's, Friday, July 22, the Ladies' Aid will have an ice cream social.

Harlo Bremmer entertained several of his friends last Saturday evening at his home in Springfield.

Miss Isla Warner left on Tuesday for Highland Park, Ill., where she will visit her cousin, Bertha Harbaugh.

Frank Barnsdale entertained several of his little friends Thursday, July 14th, the occasion being his 7th birthday.

Lizzie Herman of Wausau, Merle and Harry Young and Eva Powers of Stevens Point were at Robt. Herman's Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Whitchurch and sons, Gail and Vernon, of Minneapolis, and Mrs. W. J. Pierce and daughter Eva of Stanley are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Maxfield.

## MECHAN.

George Warner came home last week from Red Wing, Minn., where he has been employed since early last spring.

There will be a basket party at the Clusman home next Wednesday evening, July 27th, to which all are invited. Proceeds will be applied on the minister's salary.

Our base ball nine went to Kellner last Sunday and were defeated by a score of 11 to 10. Although beaten, our boys played well and declare the Kellner fellows fair players.

Mrs. Nelson Benson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Fors, Thursday, July 14th. She had been in very poor health for some time and the end was not unexpected. She was 77 years of age and had been a resident of this community for nearly 30 years.

The funeral was held at the church Saturday afternoon, Rev. Johnson of Grand Rapids officiating. She was laid at rest in the local cemetery by the side of her husband, who passed away about two years ago. She is survived by five children, Chas. and Peter and Mrs. John Fors of this place, Nelson Benson and Mrs. Johnson of Stevens Point.

## ARNOTT.

R. E. Newby is spending a few days at Mercer with friends.

Ernest Kussmann lost one of his best horses Sunday from colic.

John Peterson of Amherst was a business caller here Monday.

John Hebal of Stevens Point spent Sunday at the Ingwerson home.

Frank Disher and wife of Stevens Point visited with his parents here Sunday.

Alf. Wandy and daughter Margaret of Buena Vista spent a few hours here Sunday with relatives.

Geo. Wagner and Clarence Doane are going to Sun Prairie this week and intend to spend several months there.

Eugene Raymond, who was taken to Oshkosh last Wednesday to be operated on, returned Saturday. The doctors there were unable to diagnose his case, therefore they did not operate.

Florence O'Keefe, the ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Keefe, who has been sick for several days, was taken to Green Bay Tuesday morning where she will be operated on for appendicitis.

Raymond, the seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shuler, who had been sick for two weeks with appendicitis, passed away Sunday. The funeral was held today at 10 o'clock a. m. at the Fancher Catholic church.

## AMHERST.

Wm. Smith left for Bowman, N. D., Tuesday.

John Milbreit of Waupaca spent Sunday in town.

August Milbreit went to Oshkosh on business Tuesday.

Deil Miller left for the Minnesota harvest fields Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tourville of Sparta are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson of Rosholt were here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. P. Harvey of Clair, Ill., is visiting at Burton Harvey's.

Mrs. Robert Wilson of Stevens Point visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Mollie Wilson visited at R. Blair's, Sheridan, over Sunday.

The Amherst base ball team went to Ogdensburg Sunday and got beat, 9 to 15.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hanna of Stevens Point were guests at Dr. Wilson's Tuesday.

The A. H. Guernsey property in the village of Amherst was sold Monday to Geo. Allen for \$5,240.

The Misses Hazel and Inez Swift and Miss Louie Linn of Waupaca attended a party at J. E. En's Friday.

At the reunion of the Red and White School Association, last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing two years: M. A. Fleming, president; E. N. Wold, vice president; Mrs. C. A. Smith, secretary; Mrs. C. M. Dwinell, assistant secretary; Mrs. Burton Harvey, treasurer. A vote of thanks was also tendered to the retiring officers, Dr. F. E. Webster, Mrs. Mollie Wilson, Mrs. E. T. Johnson and Miss Cora Turner, for the excellent work they did for the good of the association. The reception was also a very pleasant affair. Many new faces were present and a very good program made the evening pass pleasantly. The musical numbers were excellent and the addresses were greatly enjoyed by all. Among the speakers were Mrs. Mollie Wilson, who gave the address of welcome, Mrs. W. F. Atwell of Stevens Point, who gave the response, Rev. Edward Bullock of Hortenville,

C. E. Webster, of Almond, Mrs. Harvey of Florida, and Geo. B. Nelson of Stevens Point.

## KNOWLTON.

Miss May Bampton of Dancy called on friends here Monday.

Mrs. W. LaCerte of Wausau spent a few days here the guest of Mrs. Roger Guenther.

Miss Martha Kiefer of Wausau has secured the Knowlton school for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Paronto of Mosinee were among Sunday afternoon callers here.

J. Lathie of Chicago is attending to his large real estate interests in this vicinity during the week.

Mrs. D. Hayner and daughter Florence of Wausau are the week's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hayner.

Fred Blanchfield has succeeded W. Rooth as station agent, Mr. Rooth having been transferred to Gleason, Lincoln county.

The ladies of the M. E. church and their friends are cordially invited to the home of Mrs. F. A. Wilcox, Thursday afternoon.

The many Knowlton friends of John Marchel of Dancy, who sustained severe injuries at his home last week, trust he may soon recover.

Several parties from Mosinee have been canvassing this entire community for old potatoes, as securing new ones seems out of the question just now.

## CUSTER.

Mrs. John Fish and children of Peshigo are spending several weeks with the lady's mother, Mrs. Sarah Lewis.

Sam Lukasavitz, our local mail carrier, now makes his daily trips with a high grade new American motorcycle, which is a great advantage to Sam as well as to the people along the route, making his time two and three hours earlier than usual.

Mrs. Wechok, an old resident of this town most of her life, passed away last Saturday, death being due to old age.

The lady had passed her ninety-ninth birthday and had been quite healthy the last year of her life. She died rather unexpectedly, being confined to her bed only three days. Her burial took place at Polonia Monday morning.

Mrs. D. McGovern and daughter Marguerite of Seattle, Wash., and Miss Katherine O'Connor of Minneapolis spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Lally, one day being spent with the former's cousin, Mrs. Jas. P. Dineen. The latter lady and Mrs. McGovern were old schoolmates and had not met for twenty-eight years. A pleasant day was spent in talking over old school days and times. Friday the visitors left for Lanark and thence they will go for a pleasure trip to some large cities.

## PLAINFIELD.

Dist. Atty. Kileen of Wautoma was in town on business last week.

L. M. Brewster has been spending a few days this week at Ladysmith, looking over the country.

Willis Worden of Buena Vista was in Plainfield over Sunday, a guest at the home of Chas. H. Fancher.

E. A. Brewer came home from the western states last week, where he had been employed during the summer.

J. T. Aber, wife and son John of Indianapolis, Ind., have been spending the week here visiting old friends.

Ernie Wilson and wife moved here Saturday from near Hancock and are located in the house with Clark Tubbs.

J. N. Wiggington, landlord at Hotel Mitchell, arrived home Saturday from a business trip in the south part of the state.

Bradley Ellis, who has been in the western states for some time, arrived here Friday for a visit among old friends.

Miss Ella Mullen of Stevens Point arrived on Saturday's train and remained over Sunday, the guest of Miss Lucy Skeel and Miss Belva Hunt.

At the annual school meeting in the Phillips district, Mrs. George Pollick was elected clerk. She has since resigned and the remaining members of the board appointed J. J. Phillips as clerk. Jake has been bustling around to get the school census this week and by faithful work finished up within the time limit.

## ASBLEY.

Fred Creasey of Bowman, N. Dak., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. Sparhawk.

Frank Gill of Polonia is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gill, who moved here in the spring.

Chas. E. Shortell was up from Stevens Point the last of the week to look after the hay crop on his farm.

Miss Jennie Dumbleton of Stevens Point has been engaged to teach the fall term of school in district No. 2.

We learn that some of our farmers have been offered as high as \$19 per ton for standing hay, the buyers to do the cutting and hauling.

Many farmer boys who had been working on the dam at Rothschilds, near Wausau, returned to their homes here to assist in haying and harvesting.

Leon Burk has his crop of timothy hay in his barn and is now busy cutting marsh hay. We understand the latter grade of fodder is being sold at \$14 per ton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gardner, Jr., have returned to their home at Oshkosh after an enjoyable vacation at the home of the lady's parents, Frank Richmond and wife.

A pleasant time is anticipated at the social to be held with Mrs. F. A. Wilcox Thursday afternoon and evening of this week, given by the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church.

Several farmers who are clearing land in this vicinity have let brush fires get away from them, and as the fires are on the edge of the marsh, much hay has been destroyed. Because of the prevailing scarcity and consequent high prices for hay, it is a pity to lose any of it.

## Writes From Far West.

John B. Marchel, who a few years ago was a bookkeeper in the First National bank, coming here from the old farm home in the town of Eau Claire, is now a resident of Prescott, Oregon, where he is employed in the office of the Beaver Lumber Co. That John has changed his mode of living, changing from single selfishness to double blessedness is shown from the following sentence: "The Gazette is a very welcome visitor and is read with interest by both myself and wife, who is also from Wisconsin."

## SOME QUEER SITUATIONS

The Effect County Option Would Have in Various Parts of Wisconsin—What Judge Quarles Says.

There are two cities in the state which are actually holding their sides with merriment over the county option issue now being raised in this state. They are Watertown and Waupun. Even if all the other towns in Wisconsin were an even up bet on county option, these two little cities would command 2 to 1 against it. And this is not because of the sentiment of the voters on the issue, not at all; but simply because half of Watertown is in Jefferson and half in Dodge county, while Waupun divides her population between Dodge and Fond du Lac counties.

The situation is interesting. In Watertown, five wards are in Jefferson county and two in Dodge. Jefferson county is one of the "wet" strongholds, so these districts are safe. But the two wards over the county line in Dodge county might go dry with that division and Watertown would be divided against itself.

Again the situation is this: Palmyra, Fort Atkinson and Jefferson city might dictate to half of Watertown, while Juneau, Beaver Dam and Waupun would be dictating to the other half, the greatest distance between these extreme points being more than 100 miles and all participating in the control of this one city.

Similar conditions would prevail in Waupun. Fond du Lac county might make the two upper wards wet, while Dodge county was making the four southern wards dry and one-half of the city would thrive while the other half quaffed—or else all would move over—you are left to guess where.

While these are the only Badger cities which might be divided, there is much debate going on all over the state as to the domination of one group of cities over another under county option. Take almost any county in the state for example. Grant county would furnish a spectacular fight between Boscobel, Lancaster and Platteville. Merrill and Tomahawk would clash in Lincoln county, and Manitowoc and Kaukauna would be linked in Outagamie county and a fine triangular meet could be held in Winnebago county with Menasha, Neenah and Oshkosh as entrants.

In Rock county, the vote of Beloit, Edgerton and Evansville might put Janesville in the "dry" list against her well known wishes, or another combination might so operate against any one of the others. And so it goes. Both Elkhorn and Delavan, wet by small majorities, would be at the mercy of Whitewater and the balance of Walworth county, and it would be hard to convince the residents of these two cities that they could not have what they want when they want it. They would rebel against the mandate. There would be Caledonia and Burlington telling Racine what it must do with her saloons and Peshigo and Pembine could dictate to Marinette—sixty miles away.

Polk county has ten little cities and not even the county optionists themselves will claim that, should one or more of them go "wet" and their vote should be neutralized by the going "dry," that they would calmly abide by the decision. So it is in Green, Waushara, Crawford, Ashland, Dane, Columbia, Bayfield, Buffalo, Chippewa, and, in fact, all the counties of the state.

The moral right of a group of towns combined with the balance of the county vote, in saying to any city or town that it shall not have saloons, if that city or town itself cast a majority for them, is denied. But this is the principle of county option and it is one that can never be successfully enforced upon an unwilling community. No less an authority than United States Judge Joseph V. Quarles said in a recent decision: "Any legislature that establishes police regulations in defiance of public sentiment must suffer the humiliation of seeing its mandate disregarded."

## Have Reunion at Portland.

The Portland (Ore.) Journal of July 10th contained this interesting paragraph, in which the names of a half score of former Stevens Pointers appear:

Mrs. R. H. Birdsall entertained at bridge Tuesday in her Northrup street home, complimentary to her house guests, Mrs. G. E. Luce and Mrs. A. R. Horn of Minneapolis, Minn. Bridge was played at four tables, and later a number of women came in to tea. The house was decorated in the pastel shades of sweet peas, and the candies and ice carried out the color scheme. Miss Marguerite Boschke served the ices and Mrs. E. B. Levy poured coffee. Assisting in serving were Miss Louise Williams and Miss Ethelwynne Harris.

Mrs. Luce, who is a singer of note, charmed her hearers with two vocal numbers. Saturday last Mr. and Mrs. Birdsall asked a number of old time friends of Mrs. Luce and Mrs. Horn in to spend the evening. The affair was in the nature of a reunion of former Wisconsin people. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dille, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, Will Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Hoeffel.

## Specen.

It shows an uncharitable spirit to speak ill of the man lower down and an envious one will speak ill of the man higher up.—Atchison Globe.

## Local Base Ball News.

The Young Americans defeated the Polish Leaguers yesterday, by a score of 9 to 6, this being the second game and the second defeat for the latter team. The Young Americans are Ward, Kelly, Pagel, Wiesner, Kluck, Rice, Park and McCarr. Leaguers—Stahoviak, Freda, Craig, Pielocian, Gething, Spredd, Visowsky, Pechinski.

The star players were Pagel, who caught everything thrown to first, while Ward did fine work behind the bat, and Freda did well as pitcher for the defeated team, but was outclassed by Kelly for the winners.

A base ball game, Sunday afternoon, between the Plover Paper company team and the Central City team was won by the former with a score of 12 to 0, and was a fine game throughout, although the Central City boys were thoroughly outclassed.

## A CUNNING WEASEL

The Trick by Which He Trapped His Big Rat Antagonist.

Once a sawmill in a western town was infested with rats, which, being unmolested, became very numerous and bold and played round the mill among the men while they worked during the day. But one day there appeared on the scene a weasel, which immediately declared war on the rodents.

One by one the rats fell victims to the weasel's superior strength, until only one very large, pugnacious rat was left of the once numerous colony. The weasel had a go at the big rat several times, but on each occasion the rodent proved more than a match for his slender antagonist and chased the weasel to a hiding place.

Shortly thereafter the weasel was seen busily digging under a lumber pile near the mill. He was engaged for some time, but later appeared again in the mill, seeking his old enemy. He soon found him and at once renewed hostilities. As usual, after a lively tussle the rat got the better of the argument, and the weasel ran, pursued closely by the rat, straight to the hole under the lumber pile.

He ran in, still followed by the rat, but immediately reappeared round the end of the pile and again dodged into the hole behind the rat. Neither was seen again for some time, but the weasel finally reappeared, looking no worse for the fight.

The curiosity of the men in the mill being aroused, they proceeded to investigate the hole under the lumber pile. They found that the weasel had dug the hole sufficiently large at the opening to admit the rat, but had gradually tapered it as he proceeded until at the other end it barely allowed his own slender body to pass.

When the rat chased him into the large end of this underground tunnel he quickly slipped through, and while the rat was trying to squeeze his large body into the smaller part of the hole the weasel dodged in behind him, caught him in the rear and in a place where he could not turn round and finished him at his leisure.—Harper's Weekly.

## POISON IN FLOWERS.

Dainty and Beautiful Blossoms in Which Lurks Death.

When the good friar in "Romeo and Juliet" reflected upon the properties of the simple flower, "within whose infant rind poison hath residence and medicine power," his observation embraced a goodly category of well known flowers whose secretions furnish the world with so many poisons.

For instance, the laburnum, which has been compared to a fountain of gold leaping into the sun—a most charming sight—is one of the most poisonous things imaginable, inasmuch as it is poison in leaf and flower and seed. Even the grass growing beneath it is poisonous by reason of its proximity to the innocent looking blossoms overhead, and it has been found necessary to guard against cattle eating this grass for fear of fatal results.

The bulbs of such dainty and beautiful flowers as the narcissus, hyacinth, jonquil and snowdrop secrete the most deadly poisons, not to speak of the oxalis, the monkshood and the foxglove, all of which furnish noxious liquors sufficient to destroy life.

To these may be added certain of the crocuses, the lovely lady's slipper, the quaint old jack-in-the-pulpit and the laughing little buttercup. The latter, despite its most innocent appearance, is one of the worst of the poisonous flowers. Even the cow is aware of that and carefully avoids it. The cousins of the buttercups, the peonies, the larkspurs and the rest, all contain toxic fluids.

Another source of deadly poison is the oleander tree, while the bark of the superb catalpa tree contains many deadly doses.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

## An Unfamiliar Alias.

There may be nothing in a name, but the American traveler of whom the Living Church tells found at least confusion therein. He had landed at Liverpool and hastened out of the city to a rural village, where he found a charmingly old fashioned inn which delighted his soul. It was late when he arrived, and when he asked what he could have for supper the buxom landlady suggested minced collops. He agreed with enthusiasm, the dish sounded so romantic, so Robin Hoodsy, so almost mediaeval. And what do you suppose they brought him? Just plain hash!

## Bread in Sweden.

In Sweden the bread of the people is for the most part hard, thin as a dinner plate and about the size of one. It is baked without yeast, and the water is practically all extracted in the process of baking; hence, relatively per pound of baking, its cost is much higher than in the common forms of bread as we know them, containing one-half their weight in water that has cost nothing. Leaf bread and rolls in Sweden are a luxury.

## Making Time Profitable.

"See here," cried the busy merchant, "don't you know my time is valuable?"

"Well," replied the book agent, "I'm sure it might be valuable to me. If you'll give me five minutes of it I believe I can sell you a set of those books."—Catholic Standard and Times.

## Finding Issues.

"We've got to buy a paper if we wish to go in politics."

"Sure. Then we'll have a lot of issues to offer the people."—St. Louis Star.

## Thousands of Votes.

Following is the standing of the different church societies in the voting contest being conducted at Rothman's C. O. D. store:

St. Peter's	27 373
St. Stephen's	19 695
St. Paul's M. E.	17 063
Baptist	14 591
Episcopal	13 555
St. Joseph's	8 369
Presbyterian	6 095
St. Casimir	3 662
Unitarian	3 197
Trinity Lutheran	2 708
St. Paul's Lutheran	2 656
Sacred Heart, Polonia	2 413
Disciple Church	2 092
St. Mary's, Fancher	1 870
St. Bartholomew's	1 650
German M. E.	1 235
St. Martin's, Ellis	1 034
Methodist, Plover	1 025
Beth-Israel	939
Seventh Day Adventist	796
St. Mary's, Custer	669
Church of Christ	613
St. Wladislav's, Bevent	598
St. Mary's, Torun	560
Friedens Gemeinde	439
St. Bronislava's	185
St. Patrick's, Lanark	128



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## SERIAL STORY

### The LAST VOYAGE of the DONNA ISABEL

By Randall Parrish  
Author of "Bob Hampton of Placer," etc.

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#### SYNOPSIS.

The story opens with the introduction of John Stephens, an adventurer, a Massachusetts man, marooned by authorities at Valparaiso, Chile. Being interested in mining operations in Bolivia, he was denounced by Chile as an insurrectionist and as a consequence was hiding. At his hotel his attention was attracted by an Englishman and a young woman. Stephens rescued the young woman from a drunken officer. He was thanked by her. Admiral of the Peruvian navy, Stephens, told him that war had been declared between Chile and Peru, and offered him the office of captain. He declined that night the Esmeralda, a Chilean vessel, should be captured. Stephens accepted the commission. Stephens met a motley crew, to which he was assigned. He gave them final instructions. They boarded the vessel. They successfully captured the vessel supposed to be the Esmeralda through strategy. Capt. Stephens gave directions for the departure of the craft. He entered the cabin and discovered the English woman and the young man. Stephens quickly learned the wrong vessel had been captured. It was Lord Darlington's private yacht, the Lord's wife and maid being aboard. Stephens explained the situation to her ladyship. Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, observed her eighty-ninth birthday quietly in her Brookline home. Mrs. Eddy was in perfect health.

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of my jacket seemed choking me; I breathed as if a man's fingers clutched my throat, and I saw McKnight's burly form shaking as if he had an ague fit. Three million pesos! The hot blood rushed to my head, a lava stream, and De Nova's face, white as chalk behind his little black mustaches, seemed dancing before me ghostlike. Damn him! the fellow made me think of Salvatore, the man who, just above, frozen and dead, had guarded this treasure for 126 years. I cast the suggestion aside with a curse and a laugh, grasping Kelly by the shoulder to steady myself—to realize these were real men, this task before us real work. It was like coming forth from under an anaesthetic, leaving me weak as a child, yet with brain and faculties aroused to action. Johnson thrust forward the cleaver. "Let me get in there, sir; I'm the man for a cuttin' job."

I stepped aside, and the broad blade fell slashing against the front of the ice. "Only two of you men can work here at once," I put in hastily. "Hold on, Johnson, until we get this shipshape. An axman, with a helper to haul back the ice out of the way, is all we need. Any more would only be in the way; besides, some of us ought to be on deck. It is going to require hours, maybe days, to get that chest out, and meanwhile we must sail this vessel and keep her right side up. The thing to do is to arrange relays, and keep at it steady. Johnson, you and Kelly go to work first. The rest of us will climb up into the cabin, and figure it out."

They went along with me up the ladder as though they were prisoners, casting the last lingering glances below, where the weird flame of the candle flickered yellow, the blows of the cleaver echoing sharply as they clustered about the stove, welcoming the warmth of it. It had been frigid below decks, although we had been scarcely conscious of it in our excitement. But now we stood shivering.

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me, but the thought of all that wealth below drove me as mad as the others. You see how much I need you." "Oh, no; you would have recovered without my help, although it might have required more time to complete a cure. But I fear there is no hope for the men." "I certainly shall not spare you to minister to them." She laughed, her happiness of disposition returning. "That would be useless; they are of different stamp. The fever for sudden wealth is in the blood of all of us. See how excited Celeste is. Perhaps if I had ever experienced poverty I might be crazed also. But it is so foolish here—here," and she swept her hands about in comprehensive gesture, "when we know it can be ours only for a day, or at most a week." "But we have not given up hope," I protested. "Why should we?" The Donna Isabel seems stanch beneath us.

"Even in case of that miracle I want nothing to do with this treasure," she said gravely. "It seems to me, Jack, there must be a curse upon that gold below. It will never do good to any human being. It was stolen by the sword, won for Spain by the shedding of blood, and has since cursed this ship and all who sailed in her. The living and the dead guarded it, and now we have come into its evil clutch. It is not superstition but faith which makes me say this—the Donna Isabel will never make port; that gold below will never do a soul on board anything but harm. I wish it could be left where it is, buried in the ice." "At such a suggestion the men would mutiny." "I suppose so," she acknowledged sadly, "and the end will be the same in either case. But I want you to be different. Let them build their air castles; but do you come out on deck with me, where the sea and sky will give us other thoughts."

Comprehending only vaguely what she meant, yet beneath the witching spell of her presence I went gladly enough, forgetting utterly that useless treasure imbedded in the ice below.

#### CHAPTER XXVII.

##### In Which the Treasure Causes Trouble

But the men did not forget, or cease in their eager efforts to rescue that frozen gold from the grasp of the ice. By this time, thoroughly convinced myself that our final preservation of this wealth would prove impossible, I was still far from devoid of interest in its recovery, and consequently made no effort to interrupt the work being carried on between decks. It was better that the men be busy and their minds occupied than to have them roaming aimlessly about the decks in discontent, now that the ship and weather gave us little occasion for concern. Here they vigorously plied the cleaver, working in relays of two hours each, during the remainder of the day and night. After breakfast had been served we all of us went below to unite our strength in hauling forth the loosened box from the ice cavity.

We accomplished this by resorting to block and tackle, and even then experienced no small difficulty in dragging it away from the ice grip. Under the dim candlelight it appeared a fair-sized sea-chest, constructed of some heavy, dark wood, and bound securely by metal bands, with a cumbersome lock. A considerable quantity of water from somewhere continued to seep down into the lazarette, making the floor an icy puddle, and so we talked on to the ropes again, and hoisted the chest up through the trap-door out upon the cabin deck. I could find no keys in any of the state-rooms, and we must have been half an hour breaking the rusty lock and prying open the lid, the only sounds audible the blows struck and the heavy breathing of the men. Finally we wrenched apart the last band, and our eager eyes beheld the revealed contents—pieces of eight, yellow and level to the top! There was a wild yell, a fierce scramble, the crazed men digging their fingers into the coins, handling them, fondling them, laughing and crying like children in their excitement, and cursing each other as they struggled for a chance at the box. For the moment, staring down at the dull glow of the metal, I even lost control of myself, scarcely aware of the mad uproar. It was actually there—there before me! That old Spanish record had all been true; here, and beneath that ice between decks lay the remainder—three million pesos! Here was the wealth of a king; here, almost within reach of our hands, and it was all ours—ours, if we could only bring it forth to where it possessed value.

If we only could! The thought struck me like a blow. I knew the truth, the truth. There was not one chance in a thousand—not one, I made no effort to deceive myself. The men, even the mate, blinded by the gold-lust had ignored facts plain as day to me—the terrible listing of the ship to port, the constant seeping of water into the hold, the increasing suddenness of the staggering hull—all these combined to tell the story—that the Donna Isabel was doomed. No power of men, situated as we were, could ever save her. The protecting

ice-sheath, by help of which she had drifted ghost-like out of the Antarctic, pounded by the fierce seas, loosened by the milder air of more northern latitudes, had already commenced to flake off, and the invading water was discovering crevices everywhere along her ancient seams. We had come to the gold; we had discovered it; it was ours. But we could only gaze on it, and give it back to the ocean in exchange for our lives. I straightened up, my lips compressed, and looked beyond the struggling figures of the men into Doris' questioning gray eyes. Father of Mercy, I possessed something worth more than money—the love of a woman! Ay, but what of the men? What of the men? It would be cutting their hearts out; yet it must be done—done, if necessary, with all the brutality of a slave driver. She had said this treasure was a curse, a legacy of crime and death, a prize for dead men. Not while I retained mind and body to battle should it cost our lives. I pushed De Nova backward and planted myself across the open chest, scowling into the uplifted, angry faces.

"That's enough, men. This is part of the treasure all right, but there is no occasion for you to go crazy over it. Put those coins back—do you hear, McKnight?—put them back, and we'll shut down the lid. They're nice to look at, and dream over, but that's about all the good we'll ever get of them. Were there any signs of others down there in the ice, Johnson?" (TO BE CONTINUED.)

The characteristic national meal. It is not only in Scotland that breakfast is the characteristic national meal, says the London Chronicle. Travel where you may, the first meal of the day is the one that strikes the foreign note, luncheon and dinner having gradually absorbed cosmopolitan qualities that are not even confined to hotels. But you never feel so much of an Englishman as when Switzerland gives you rolls and butter and honey, and nothing more, with your coffee, or when France makes this into one exquisite crumbling "croissant," with an inch or two from a yard long loaf, or when Denmark adds cream instead of milk to the coffee and a dangerous piece of pastry to the black bread and round white roll.

Hot Water Cure for Insomnia. To insure the benefit of the hot water, it must be taken off the fire the moment it boils—not just before or after—and poured at once into a cup of glass. Then it should be taken while very hot. A little practice will enable one to swallow it at little less than the boiling point, and in addition to the proper temperature, the proper time must be observed. It is most efficacious in curing indigestion and improving the general tone of the system. If taken immediately on waking in the morning, again an hour before lunch and an hour before dinner also, and to drink two glassfuls on retiring will almost positively insure sound sleep. It may require two or three days' trial before the desired result is effected, but once gained it can be held without interruption by faithfully pursuing this method.

#### Married Women Must Work.

As long as women workers stop work at marriage they will continue to be, as a class, low-paid, over-worked, unskilled, looking only to the day and never to the future, entering industry casually without training, retiring from it unexpectedly without warning, hard to organize into trade unions, hard to interest in technical improvements, hard to inspire with financial ambition, behaving, in every respect, with the utmost good sense, just exactly in the manner in which any class of admittedly and consciously temporary workers should behave. It is hard to believe that such a situation can be right either for women or for industry. The women lose opportunities. Industry loses abilities. Everybody's.

#### Puzzled Innkeeper.

Rear Admiral Philip C. Cooper, chief of the Asiatic station, complained in a recent letter home of the ex tortions of innkeepers in out of the way parts of the globe. "In Montenegro, once," he wrote, "I asked for my bill, after having slept over night at a certain inn, and, as soon as the document was handed to me, I took out my purse to settle it. I did not bother to verify the various items. What would have been the use?"

#### Teaching Canadians to Shoot.

The Canadian minister of militia hopes by reason of the prizes being offered that within a few months every boy in Canada will be undergoing instruction in rifle shooting.

## IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

### LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

#### EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

#### PERSONAL

Miss Dorothy Miller of East Thirty-eighth street, Chicago, was married at Omaha, Neb., to Matsuzo Shofu, a Japanese traveling salesman from New York city.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, observed her eighty-ninth birthday quietly in her Brookline home. Mrs. Eddy was in perfect health.

Mrs. Florence Mastick, a New York flat dweller, by mistake sent \$600 worth of jewelry to her iceman and later had him arrested because he neglected to notify her.

Joseph Sheffield Van Buren, formerly of New York, died aboard the steamer Prinz Eitel Friedrich, bound for Naples from Egypt. Mr. Van Buren had lived in Hongkong for the last thirty years.

August ("Garry") Hermann of Cincinnati was elected grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks by acclamation at the first session of the grand lodge held at Detroit.

Phlander C. Knox, Jr., and his eighteen-year-old bride, a former department store saleswoman, have gone to live at his father's country home near Philadelphia. Parental forgiveness has been obtained.

Princess Agatha of Ratibor, who was married to the Kaiser's cousin, Prince Frederick William, at Potsdam, June 8, has been excommunicated by the Roman Catholic church for becoming the wife of a Protestant.

#### GENERAL NEWS.

Confined in a filthy cell, six by five feet, underfed, save by charitable strangers, William Pittman, an American captured by the Madrid government forces near Bluefields, was found in an overcrowded local prison at Managua, Nicaragua, by Consul Olivares. The consul telegraphed to the state department that he had forced Dr. Madrid to furnish the adventurous American better prison accommodations.

The interstate commerce commission made formal announcement of its decision to suspend freight rate advances recently made by the railroads. These are advances held up by agreements between President Taft and the railroads until the new railroad law went into effect giving the commission power to suspend rates.

An early morning fire on the edge of the business section of Portland, Ore., resulted in the loss of one life, the injury of several persons, the burning of 150 horses and a financial damage of about \$300,000. The burned district covers ten acres.

Gifford Pinchot and Speaker Joseph G. Cannon engaged in an extemporaneous debate upon the subject of conservation before the Knife and Fork club at Kansas City. While each gave expression of the highest personal regard for the other and both agreed that conservation of the natural resources should be encouraged, they differed on the question who was the father of conservation.

Under instructions from Judge Landis, deputy United States marshals called prominent Chicago packers to appear before the federal grand jury at Chicago to answer to the charges which have been made against the National Packing company.

All the intricate machinery of Scotland Yard has been set in motion to effect the capture of Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, the battered body of whose wife, a noted music hall singer known under the name of Belle Elmore, was found buried deep in the clay in the cellar of their home, North London. Crippen has been missing since Saturday last. Requests have been sent out broadcast that all incoming steamships be watched.

To Ferdinand of Bulgaria belongs the distinction of being the first king to go up in an aeroplane. At Harselle, near Liege, he enjoyed the experience of flying twice around the Kiewit aerodrome on a machine piloted by Chevalier de Lamigne.

Clara Ward, formerly Princess Chimay, has brought divorce proceedings in Paris against her husband, Peppino Ricciardi. The court made the customary efforts to effect a reconciliation, but without success.

The coronation of King George has been fixed for June 22, 1912.

With a committee of six headed by A. B. Garretson of the order of Railroad Conductors and W. G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, rests the question whether the 13,000 conductors, trainmen, baggage men and yardmen employed by the Pennsylvania railroad lines east of Pittsburgh, Erie and Buffalo, will go out on a strike or not.

Following a stormy session of the insurgent and standpat conservation factions, held at Chicago, President Taft was invited to make the principal address to the conservation congress in St. Paul September 6.

Trapped on a burning, sinking steamer, 195 men, women and children perished near Kherson, on the Black sea. After collision with the steamer Wampoa, the passenger steamer Lovki, crowded with passengers, foundered.

It is estimated that 300,000 people witnessed the Elks' parade at Detroit. More than 300 of them were prostrated and the police and the Red Cross relief stations were kept on the jump getting the victims out of the way.

Papers, claimed to be personal property by H. B. Gardner at St. Louis, head of two insurance companies, were taken from him in court by an attorney, who declared he resorted to "psychological replevin."

Whitefish, Mont., is threatened by forest fires. Lumber camps in the same vicinity have been destroyed.

Elaborate preparations are being made at Washington and other cities to entertain President-elect Hernes Fonseca of Brazil, who will arrive in this country August 5.

Chinese pirates have been dislodged from their post in Colowan island by the Portuguese gunboat Patria, according to cables from Hongkong.

A brick wall of the postoffice was all that saved Clinton, Wis., from destruction by fire.

Doctor Spears, the jail physician at Louisville, Ky., says that August Ropke, alleged embezzler of funds of the Fidelity Trust company, is on the verge of a nervous collapse, and requires extreme quiet.

John Struble, chief of police of Clinton, Ill., while grappling with a man, was shot and killed. The man who did the shooting escaped amid a hail of bullets from revolvers of the chief's subordinates. Bloodhounds from Decatur were put on the trail.

The indictments found by the federal grand jury in the United States circuit court at New York on June 18 last in the cases against James A. Patten, William P. Brown, F. R. Haynes, S. T. Harmon, C. A. Kittle, E. G. Scales, Morris Rothschild and R. M. Thompson, accused of being parties to a conspiracy in restraint of trade in their cotton operations, were dismissed because they were defective.

Theodore Roosevelt, in his first authorized declaration defining his attitude with respect to the national and state political situation, conveyed the idea that above all else he is working for complete solidification of the Republican party. He said he is "sounding out" the sentiment of party leaders throughout the country and that whatever he has done must not be construed as an expression of his feeling toward the administration.

Since January 1 eighty-six railroads and industrial corporations in this country have increased their disbursements or declared initial or resumed dividends to the extent of \$57,525,000 a year. Twenty-three of these corporations are railroads, their increase alone representing \$15,000,000.

Oscar Erbsloeh, a brilliant young inventor and balloonist, who made his greatest popularity by winning the international balloon race in America three years ago was hurled to death with four companions in a balloon named Erbsloeh near Cologne, Germany. The balloon fell 355 yards, as nearly as can be calculated—more than one-fifth of a mile.

The Rock Island (Ill.) county grand jury, which has been in almost continuous session for the past two months investigating the alleged looting of the reserve funds of the Fraternal Tribunes and a dozen other fraternal insurance societies, made its final report to Judge Gest in the circuit court. Seven true bills were returned, in which indictments against 12 men and one woman were included.

A. Rawlinson, an American aviator, fell with his biplane in Bourne-mouth, England, in making a flight at the aviation meet. One of his legs was broken and the machine was smashed.

Supreme Court Justice William J. Kelly of Brooklyn, N. Y., handed down a decision in which he holds that the supreme council of the Royal Arcanum cannot raise its assessment rates without permission from the members of the organization.

By jumping into a clay-mixing machine and allowing the steel blades to cut and mangle him William Moore committed suicide at the Toledo (O.) workhouse, where he was a prisoner.

Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton university, is to be the Democratic candidate for governor of New Jersey at the fall election.

Robert Chambers of Okahoma City and Jesse Treatise of Peoria, Ill., were killed by lightning while on Mount Pisgah, near Cripple Creek, Col.



# VAN VALKENBURGH IS JUDGE



Judge Arba S. Van Valkenburgh, recently appointed United States district judge, western division of Missouri, is one of the youngest jurists on the federal bench. He is only 48 years of age, but his friends say this will not prevent him from making an enviable record.

Mr. Van Valkenburgh succeeded Senator Warner as United States district attorney for the western district of Missouri in 1905 and was reappointed by President Taft in December, 1909. He had previously served seven years as assistant to Major Warner in that office. He was born in Syracuse, N. Y., in 1862. When he was seven years old his parents removed to Illinois and later to Michigan. He was graduated from the University of Michigan in 1881, attaining high rank as a scholar.

Mr. Van Valkenburgh went to Kansas City in 1885 and entered the law offices of Dobson, Douglas and Trimble, being admitted to the Jackson county bar in 1888. The same year he formed a law partnership with D. A. Haff. He was married in 1889 to Miss Grace Ingold of Kansas City.

Mr. Van Valkenburgh was appointed assistant district attorney by Major Warner in 1898, succeeding William Draffen. Upon Major Warner's election to the senate in 1905 President Roosevelt appointed him to the place he since has held.

Law came naturally to Mr. Van Valkenburgh. His father, Lawrence Van Valkenburgh, was a justice of the peace back in New York in the early 60's.

Friends of the newly appointed judge say that at the department of justice in Washington Mr. Van Valkenburgh was considered as ranking among the ablest United States district attorneys in the country.

As United States district attorney, Mr. Van Valkenburgh first attracted national attention in the prosecution of all the packing companies to compel them to comply with the interstate commerce laws regarding the shipment of meats for export. He brought the suit in this jurisdiction and won it before Judge McPherson, sitting for Judge Phillips.

# POINDEXTER IN LIMELIGHT



Representative Miles Poindexter of Washington, candidate for the United States senate, whose cause has been espoused by Theodore Roosevelt, was born in Memphis, Tenn., fifty-two years ago and has lived in Washington nineteen years. He has served only one term in congress and has been identified with the insurgents, which makes the action of Colonel Roosevelt all the more important to national politics.

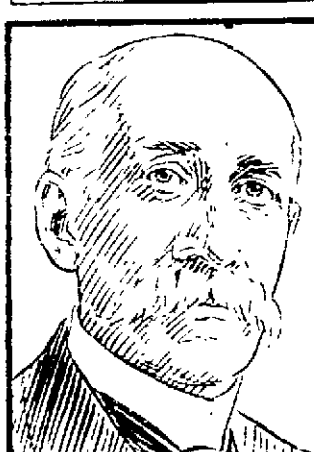
Mr. Poindexter has been a political foe of Richard A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior in the Taft cabinet, with whom Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester and friend of Roosevelt, has had a feud for some time.

The Washington congressman visited Colonel Roosevelt at Sacramento Hill a few days ago and came away in jubilant spirits. Roosevelt had promised to aid him in his fight for the senate and he had a right to feel happy, for help from Roosevelt means help of the right kind and Poindexter needed it.

Mr. Poindexter was educated at Fancy Hill academy, Rockbridge county, Va., and at Washington and Lee university, Lexington, Va., in both the academic and law courses. He located at Wallawalla, Wash., in 1891 and began the practice of law. He was elected prosecuting attorney of Wallawalla county in 1892 and in 1897 moved to Spokane. He was assistant prosecuting attorney for Spokane six years and in 1904 was elected judge of the superior court and remained on the bench until nominated for congress in the newly created third district of Washington. He was elected by a majority of 15,000.

When Secretary Ballinger learned that Colonel Roosevelt had promised to lend his influence to the Poindexter cause he expressed the belief that the former president had been misled as to the situation in Washington. The seat in the senate to which Representative Poindexter aspires is now held by Samuel Henry Piles, who is not in the race for re-election.

# GIVES MILLIONS FOR BOYS



David J. Ranken, Jr., one of the wealthiest men of St. Louis, has acted literally upon that much-advertised saying of Andrew Carnegie, that "he who dies rich dies disgraced," and has turned over his entire fortune, estimated at a little more than \$2,000,000, to the David J. Ranken, Jr. School of Mechanical Trades, which he founded, reserving only \$25,000 a year for his own modest uses.

The school was established a year ago with an endowment of \$500,000, its purpose being to give boys over fifteen years old a trade education for a nominal sum. The school has prospered and to amplify its usefulness the additional endowment by Mr. Ranken has been made.

Mr. Ranken, who was born in Londonderry, Ireland, in 1835, and who has been a resident of St. Louis since 1862, made his money in real estate and stock transactions. The students at the Ranken school are charged only \$20 a year, payable in three installments, and are given a two years' course. All their education is of a practical kind.

Ranken occupies three small rooms over a grocery. When he enters the door and climbs to his rooms he shuts out the world and declines to be seen. Here he has lived for years and worked out the plans and ambition of his life—the founding of the trades school where poor boys can receive a trade education for a nominal fee.

Mr. Ranken visits his school every day and watches the boys at work. He wastes no time in teaching theory in the lecture rooms unless it has some practical application in the shop work. Geometry is taught, but instead of having the boys compute the columns of a cone, they are taught the holding capacity of a funnel of like dimensions. Classroom work in all branches of drawing, carpentry, bricklaying, painting and steam engineering is along similar practical lines.

# ASTOUNDS CHOATE'S FRIENDS



Not only the judges and lawyers of the country but all citizens who follow the affairs of the nation were astonished when charges of unbecomingly conduct were made against Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador from the United States to Great Britain.

The American Bar association, of which Mr. Choate is a former president, will thoroughly probe the charges at its convention in Chattanooga, Tenn., next month and Mr. Choate's friends say there is no doubt that the verdict will completely exonerate him from all blame.

James R. Watts of Staten Island is Mr. Choate's accuser. He alleges that Mr. Choate caused him to lose hundreds of thousands of dollars through "omissions and wrongful acts" while acting as his attorney. Mr. Choate lost no time in demanding a thorough probe of the charges, the first ever made against him in his long and honored career.

Mr. Choate is 78 years old and internationally famous as a lawyer, diplomat, orator and after-dinner speaker. He was ambassador to the court of St. James from 1899 to 1905. His legal career began in 1855, when he was graduated as master of arts at Harvard and admitted to the bar of Massachusetts. He went to New York in 1856 and with the exception of the time he served as ambassador has been practicing his profession there. He has been connected with many famous cases and was elected a bencher of the Inner Temple, England, in 1905, an honor conferred only on persons of distinction.

Mr. Choate's many friends say the charges against him are due to some mistake and is confident that the American Bar association will so determine.

# HORTICULTURE

## EUROPEAN CANKER ON APPLE

Disease Reported as Serious in Old Country and Becoming Widely Distributed in America.

This disease is reported as serious in the orchards of Europe, and is becoming widely distributed in America. The fungus seems to be dependent upon wounds for entrance to the host tissue. It attacks the inner bark and the rich sap, and to some extent the young wood. The fungus is perennial in the host. As the new growth develops around the wound it is attacked and killed by the fungus; thus a series of ridges may be developed.

Two kinds of summer spores are produced, the first small and unicellular, the second sickle-shaped and having three or more cells. The latter are probably largely responsible for the spread of the disease during the summer. In the spring compact



European Apple Canker.

clusters of red lemon-shaped perithecia may be found near the edge of the canker. These may be seen with the naked eye. They contain numerous two-celled spores borne in sacs.

All cankered limbs should be destroyed. Wounds should be thoroughly coated with Bordeaux or paint. Spraying will serve to disinfect the smaller wounds produced by insects and hail storms.

## GRAPE CUTTER IS EXCELLENT

Fastens to Thumb and Enables Person to Remove Bunches Without Bruising the Fruit.

Every once in awhile some ingenious little device will be invented which prompts us to wonder why we did not think of it ourselves. Such is the cutter-thimble for gathering grapes and other fruit and berries, devised by a California man. This cutter-thimble consists of a blade curved to fit over the top of the thumb and with an attachment that holds it firmly in place. Equipped with this a man can reach



Cutter for Grapes.

out and snip off a bunch of grapes or other fruit as easily as he could pluck a flower, the blade biting through the stems in a twinkling. With one hand he can do work that would otherwise take two, or he can wear a cutter on each hand and do two men's work. Another advantage of this device is that the fruit is not bruised by dropping into a bag, as is the case when it is cut by a long-handled shears. One man on a stepladder can strip an arbor in a short time without losing a grape, except those that fall from the overripe.

## Average Pick of Apples.

How many barrels of apples can a man pick in a day? Much depends upon whether the trees are well loaded, high or low headed, or whether the fruit is plentiful or scattering. You will find some men will pick twice as much fruit as other men. From five to twenty barrels of fruit per day is considered an average day's work.

## Water for Plants.

If the season is a dry one some of the plants in the garden will have to be watered if you want flowers from them. This is especially true of the dahlias. Use enough water to penetrate all the soil in which their roots grow, and see that it is kept moist. Watering today and neglecting for a week to come isn't the proper thing.

# INJURIOUS TO FRUIT TREES

Destructive Scale Insect Pest Attack All Kinds of Plants—San Jose Most Injurious.

Scale insects attack all kinds of plants, including grasses, but are especially injurious to fruit trees. The more common injurious species in this country are San Jose scale, oyster shell, bark louse, scurfy scale, purple scale, white scale, red scale, mealy bugs, etc. The San Jose scale is perhaps the commonest variety. This insect attacks all fruits. On badly infest-



Orchard Destroyed by Scale.

ed limbs it appears as a grayish scurf, made up of millions of insects. The young individual scale is about half the size of a pin head, round and black. On the fruit the scale makes conspicuous red spots. Its dangerous nature is known to every orchardist who has it to contend with. It has killed thousands of trees, especially peach, and is now sapping the vitality of many thousands more.

Scale insects are subject to attacks of a number of natural enemies, included under parasitic and predaceous insects, fungous diseases and birds. These natural enemies are usually sufficient to hold the species somewhat in check, with the exception of the San Jose scale, which has become a most important pest.

Many artificial remedies have been tried for exterminating scale insects, the most successful being sprays of crude petroleum or kerosene, either undiluted or mixed with water, various soap sprays and lime salt and sulphur wash. All scale insects may be treated by the same method after it has been determined by experience which process is most effective in any particular locality.

In the eastern states excellent success has attended the use of lime, salt and sulphur wash, which has also been very effective on the western coast. Different results have been obtained by different experimenters, but extensive experiments indicate that kerosene and crude petroleum are very reliable and exceedingly effective insecticides against all scale insects.

It is generally recommended that trees should be sprayed in winter or during a dormant period with these substances in undiluted condition or mixed with water. In some localities trees have been injured by using the spray in undiluted form even in winter. On the other hand many experiments have been made which show that these substances in solutions of strengths varying from 15 to 20 percent may be safely used upon the trees in full foliage. Conservative authorities on the subject of the value of kerosene and petroleum recommend that these substances be used only in a mechanical mixture of water of different strengths up to about 25 percent.

In general it is recommended that spraying with kerosene should be done only on bright sunny days, when evaporation is comparatively rapid. Whale oil soap in the proportion of two or two and one-half pounds to the gallon of water is also a very effective remedy for scale insects.

# HORTICULTURAL NOTES

If the orchard is made a pasture for hogs or sheep the trees will be injured sooner or later.

Strawberry rows should be 42 inches apart and the plants set 24 inches apart in the rows.

By setting a few new trees each year it is not much of a task to replace the old ones that die.

It does not pay to plant crops in the peach orchard. Some people do it, but we believe it is a bad practice.

Apple pickers should remember that the least puncture to the skin of an apple results sooner or later in a rotten spot.

Remember that rows which run north and south allow the sun's rays to reach both sides of the plant—a distinct advantage.

There are now 150,000 acres of planted trees in central Kansas, where at one time it was thought trees could not be grown.

The bruise on an apple may not at once develop into rot but it will make a brown spot which disfigures and lessens the value of the fruit.

The Oregon experiment station has decided that the scab in the prunes which is more or less troublesome to them is caused by the weather and not by fungus growth.

In very dry weather fruit-buds are formed quite early, and in case of a wet fall, immature fruit-buds sometimes change into leaf-buds. Most small fruits form their fruit-buds in the spring.

It is practicable to grow strawberries in the center of the space between the rows of trees in an orchard, provided the orchard is not shaded. It would be wise, however, not to plant more than three rows of strawberries,

# CANNON COLLAPSES

SPEAKER'S MIND CLOUDS NEAR THE CLOSE OF KANSAS ADDRESS.

## REVIVES, THANKS AUDITORS

Defends Tariff, Attacks Press and Takes Filing at "Insurgents"—Heat Overcomes "Uncle Joe," But Recovers and Makes Second Address.

Winfield, Kan.—Speaker Joseph G. Cannon collapsed Saturday afternoon while delivering a speech which he had prepared, attacking the insurgents in congress before the Winfield chautauqua.

Prompt aid prevented him from fainting, but he was unable to continue his address, and, speaking with the greatest difficulty, he begged the audience to excuse him.

The intense heat affected him, and brought on the sudden sinking spell. Ice water and fresh air partially revived him, and he haltingly thanked the audience for listening to him for so great a length of time. Then he was led away by his friends and taken to the home of J. T. Lafferty, where he was a guest.

Accompanied by Congressman Philip Campbell, and declaring he was "not a bit sick," Mr. Cannon departed later for Arkansas City, where Saturday evening he delivered a brief speech. The speaker had recovered from his collapse and insisted upon making the trip.

Dr. L. A. Tarabus pronounced Mr. Cannon's heart action good and said he probably would suffer no further ill effects.

Speaker Cannon's physicians urged him to abandon his Kansas speaking tour. The speaker, however, is determined to continue it as he feels that the collapse was due only to the excessively warm weather.

Mr. Cannon said that after speaking at Emporia he would fill two other dates as scheduled, after which the condition of the weather and his health would determine his future actions.

"Discontent of a people," said Speaker Cannon, in his address here, "is not measured by complaints in the press. It is measured in a more significant manner and makes more indelible impression than that of a penny paper bought, perused, thrown away and forgotten."

"The pocket nerve is one of the most sensitive nerves in our civilization, and that nerve always is the first affected by any general discontent or want of confidence."

"The pocket nerve" was never in better condition than it is today, and that is the real evidence of confidence on the part of the American people in the economic policies of the government."

Speaker Cannon declared the opponents of protection have misrepresented the tariff, lied about its schedules and resorted to every conceivable trick to keep the tariff in politics.

"The demagogue," said he, "may pick out an item here and there and say that duties are too high, but the law is to be tested by all its provisions and not by an isolated item here and there."

Mr. Cannon denounced the insurgents in congress and paid his respects to Senator Bristow, declaring the latter was seeking notoriety.

Somewhat in the way of a reply to an address made by Senator Bristow in Winfield a week ago, Speaker Cannon disputed the statements made by the Kansan emphatically. Mr. Bristow had made sensational charges concerning the rubber schedule of the tariff bill.

## WOMAN SLAYS GAME WARDEN

Confesses She Killed John O'Connor Because He Tried to Break Up Her Home.

Springfield, Ill.—Mrs. Frank Stout confessed that she had fired the shot which resulted in the death of Deputy State Warden Game John O'Connor.

Mrs. Stout is in jail here and will be held to await the action of the grand jury without bond. The woman appeared before the coroner's jury Sunday at her own request.

O'Connor was shot Friday night at his home by some one who fired through an open door. In an ante-mortem statement he declared that Frank Stout had threatened to kill him, but Stout, when arrested, proved an alibi. Later Mrs. Stout was arrested and, in her confession, declared O'Connor had annoyed her and "had tried to break up her home."

The woman admitted while on the witness stand that she telephoned O'Connor a few days before his death and asked him if he intended to quit coming to her home. This admission is taken by authorities to mean that the woman was in love with O'Connor and that jealousy may have prompted her in her act.

## Lightning Strikes Church.

Petersburg, Ind.—During a heavy rainstorm Saturday lightning struck and set fire to the Cumberland Presbyterian church, David Huey's residence at Oatsville and to the henry of Ed Wiseman of this city, destroying it and cremating 212 springs.

## Trimmed Corn; Woman Dies.

Arcola, Ill.—Mrs. Mary Harding, an aged resident of this city, died Saturday after the amputation of a leg, made necessary by blood poison caused by trimming a corn.

# VISIONARY.



Jiggson—If a man could only sell coal at the north pole or ice in hades! Wiggson—But that's out of the question. Jiggson—I know; but, gee! just think of the prices he could get!

## SOFT, WHITE HANDS

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For preserving the hands as well as for preventing redness, roughness, and chapping, and imparting that velvety softness and whiteness much desired by women Cuticura Ointment, assisted by Cuticura Soap, is believed to be superior to all other skin soaps. For those who work in corrosive liquids, or at occupations which tend to injure the hands, it is invaluable.

Treatment—Bathe and soak the hands on retiring in a strong, hot, creamy lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry and anoint freely with Cuticura Ointment, and in severe cases spread the Cuticura Ointment on thin pieces of old linen or cotton. Wear during the night old, loose gloves, or a light bandage of old cotton or linen to protect the clothing from stain. For red, rough, and chapped hands, dry, fissured, itching, feverish palms, and shapeless nails with painful finger ends, this treatment is most effective. Cuticura Remedies are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., sole proprietors, Boston, Mass.

## Autoing and Optics.

"Is not auto driving terribly hard on the eyes?" we asked.

"Well, I guess not," replied the chauffeur, withering us with scorn. "Why, before I got to runnin' a car I was thinkin' of gettin' specks, my eyesight was that poor I couldn't see the contribution box in church until it was so near past me it was too late to dig for any money. But I hadn't been runnin' that wagon two days till I could see a policeman's little fingers stickin' out from behind a tree four miles away. I could even see which way a copper's eyeballs were turned if he was standin' in the shade three miles off. Hard on the eyes! Well, not much! It's the best medicine for weak eyes that was ever invented, don't you forget it."

## His Claim to Prominence.

At a social gathering a certain man, intent on knowing every one, was introduced to Senator Julius C. Burrows of Michigan.

"The name Burrows is very familiar to me," he said. "I am certain that you are a man of some prominence."

"Yes," replied Senator Burrows. "I am the man that 'died at first' just before Casey came to bat in that celebrated ball game in Mudville."—Success Magazine.

## Refinement of Assurance.

Busy Business Man (fratally)—Sir I didn't ask you to sit down!

Persistent Salesman (settling back comfortably)—That's all right—no apology is necessary. I knew it was only an oversight.—Harper's Weekly.

## HARD TO PLEASE Regarding the Morning Cup.

"Oh how hard it was to part with coffee, but the continued trouble with constipation and belching was such that I finally brought myself to leave it off."

"Then the question was, what should we use for the morning drink? Tea was worse for us than coffee; chocolate and cocoa were soon tired of; milk was not liked very well, and hot water we could not endure."

"About two years ago we struck upon Postum and have never been without it since."

"We have seven children. Our baby now eighteen months old would not take milk, so we tried Postum and found she liked it and it agreed with her perfectly. She is today, and has been, one of the healthiest babies in the State."

"I use about two-thirds Postum and one-third milk and a teaspoon of sugar, and put it into her bottle. If you could have seen her eyes sparkle and hear her say 'good' today when I gave it to her, you would believe me that she likes it."

"If I was matron of an infants' home, every child would be raised on Postum. Many of my friends say, 'You are looking so well!' I reply, 'I am well; I drink Postum. I have no more trouble with constipation, and know that I owe my good health to God and Postum.'"

"I am writing this letter because I want to tell you how much good Postum has done us, but if you know how I shrink from publicity, you would not publish this letter, at least not over my name."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pgs. "There's a Reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



Keen observers predict a big boom in property in Wantland, Colorado, the new town which is being built in the center of the Little Snake River Valley in Routt County, Colorado. A big irrigation system is being built to irrigate 60,000 acres of very fine land surrounding Wantland. The land is being sold by the State of Colorado for 50 cents per acre, under the Carey Act, and water rights cost \$35.00 an acre, in ten year payments. Sugar factories, flour mills, canneries, etc., are among the possible industries to be located at Wantland. Full information can be obtained from the Routt County Colonization Company, 1734 Welton St., Denver, Colo.

**Back to the Tall Timber.**  
Alfred—Are you going to pass your vacation at the seashore?  
Gilbert—No, thank you. It's the woods for mine this year.  
Alfred—Don't like the shore, eh?  
Gilbert—Oh, I like it well enough, but it's too risky. I passed my vacation there last year and had several narrow escapes.  
Alfred—From drowning?  
Gilbert—No; summer girls. Seven of them proposed to me.

**Old Advice.**  
Manager—You never get this scene right. Your business with the sweet peas is all wrong and you forget when you are to speak—you get your lines all mixed up.  
Actress—All right, sir, I'll be more attentive and fix the sweet peas and try to get my lines in the right place.  
Manager—Your course is very simple. Just mind your peas and cues.—Baltimore American.

**Small Job.**  
Him—I was confused for a bit, I confess, but it took me only a moment to collect my wits—  
Her—Yes, it couldn't take any longer than that. Go on.

Truth is cut up to patch too many lies. You can never boil the lies back into truth again.

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# STATE NEWS

**Manitowoc.**—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmore, twenty-one and nineteen years old, respectively, were sentenced to Waupun after having been found guilty of robbery in municipal court. Mr. Gilmore is to serve 11 months and his wife eight months. The young people said that their home was in Bay City and that they were on their honeymoon, having left Bay City two weeks ago and crossed to Canada to be married. It was alleged that Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore's plan was to visit a respectable home in a pretended search for apartments to rent. While in the house Mrs. Gilmore would engage the attention of the residents, while Mr. Gilmore would search for such valuables as he could carry in his pockets, and that they were successful in one Manitowoc home before being detected.

**Hudson.**—Hudson's two police and fire commissions, one appointed by the acting mayor and one by the mayor, have started a contest to learn which is supreme. Each commission appointed a different fire department. Fire Chief C. H. Olson has begun an action against Fire Chief John Lahiff to show the latter's authority for holding the position. This will start the case rolling in the district court. Bills for two sets of firemen, appointed by both commissions, were allowed by the city council, but Mayor A. P. Kealey refuses to sign the orders.

**Fort Atkinson.**—After an absence of fifty years, Miles Osgood, aged seventy-five years, a wealthy retired farmer living about sixty miles from here, has been reunited with his sister, Mrs. Jeanette Smith, Springfield, Mass. She is seriously ill and it is believed will not recover. By her, he was supposed to be dead and it was not until a few days ago that he knew she was alive.

**Fond du Lac.**—Fire near Eland Junction is threatening all the standing and cut timber of that region, particularly that of the Hutton Lumber company, New London, of which Senator W. H. Hutton is the president. The Hutton Lumber company sent all of its crews to the scene, but had met with little success in bringing the fires under control.

**Merrill.**—Fire from the forest entered the village limits several times. It was only by the combined efforts of citizens and the fire department that several residences were saved. A farmer living one-half mile from town on what is known as the Russe place came to town to get help to save his farm buildings from destruction.

**Waukegan.**—Mrs. Gust Eichsteadt, residing in Dakota, died from the effect of blood poisoning after a few days' illness. Mrs. Eichsteadt scratched a small eruption.

**Algoma.**—Mrs. Ernest Leist was killed and her husband seriously injured while they were hauling hay on their farm. Leist stepped upon the wagon pole to adjust the harness. He fell, frightening the team, which started to run. Mrs. Leist jumped, fracturing her skull, and died in a few minutes. The wagon wheels passed over the man's body.

**Manitowoc.**—Reports from Omaha, Neb., police say that Frank Erdmann, a former Manitowoc man who is being held in that city under \$5,000 bail, charged with attempting to dynamite the home of his employer, is being kept under constant guard for fear that he might take his own life. Omaha authorities have found that he has served five terms in western state prisons. Erdmann, while here, was an employee of the Manitowoc Dry Dock company. He left last fall.

**Kenosha.**—Judge Clifford E. Randall of the municipal court has received a letter from Frank "Perpetual Motion" Otto of the town of Somers, who is in the state hospital for the insane in Mendota, demanding that steps be taken to secure his release from the institution. Otto insists that he is sane and declares that he would never have been sent to the institution had it not been for the influence of people who feared that he would complete the perpetual motion machine at which he had been working for more than thirty years.

**Madison.**—William Roberts, a Green Bay boy, was arrested at the Chicago and North-Western railroad station Sunday night and confessed having burglarized the general store of Gend & Co. on East Washington avenue. He implicated Timothy Quinlan of Madison, who has not yet been captured. Eight dollars and a quantity of goods were taken, some of the stolen stuff being found on Roberts when he was arrested. Roberts and Quinlan were recently committed to the state industrial school for boys at Waukesha for robbery, but they escaped on July 2.

**Janesville.**—Judge Grimm sentenced Charles Youngblood of Monroe to four years in the state prison in Waupun on a statutory charge.

**Waukesha.**—Charles Breen of Milwaukee, employed by the Modern Steel Structural company in erecting its new extension here, was instantly killed by being struck on the chin by a broken high tension electric wire. He was assisting in raising a heavy pole, which fell over onto the wire carrying 32,000 volts of electricity.

**Sheboygan.**—Sheboygan Socialists are in favor of suppressing a moving picture of the Johnson-Jeffries fight. They came to a decision on the question by debating it in a meeting.

# CARING FOR FLOORS

**MUCH WORK TO KEEP THE HARDWOOD VARIETY IN ORDER.**  
They Are Recognized as the Best for the Average House, But Daily Wiping and Almost Constant Polishing Are Necessary.

Undoubtedly the best floors for the average house are hardwood, but to keep them in order requires work. Daily wiping and polishing are necessary, but the beauty resultant more than repays the trouble, and such floors, unless they are abused, wear well. Their expensiveness differs according as to whether or not they are parquetry or plain. If drawing and living room floors can be finished with a border they are more effective, but even in those places design is not necessary. What is required is perfect position of the boards, that is, close together and smooth, so they can be kept in the highest state of polish and cleanliness. When a house that is occupied the entire year is fitted with hardwood floors the problem of carpeting is solved, for in the winter rugs can be used, while in the summer the boards may be left uncovered. The latter effect is cool and pretty.

For general durability there are coverings which conceal unfinished flooring and are more easily kept clean than carpeting. In these days of frequent moving, when housekeepers do not like to have carpets and matings cut to fit rooms, rugs of endless variety and material come in prices which are equally varied. A wilton or tapestry carpet cut like a large rug and finished with a wide border is practical in many different places, and a rough floor may have a border stained to make a suitable finish.

For summer, or to use all the year in bedrooms, mats of straw are extremely pretty. They come in straw colored grounds with designs of various sizes. They wear well and are easily kept clean.

Nothing could be prettier than some of the hand woven rag rugs. They have the merit of washing, when soiled, and have sufficient warmth to be good for the winter and yet light enough for summer wear. In many summer houses they are used exclusively in the upstairs rooms and large ones are exceedingly nice in dining rooms. They can be woven to order and for dining rooms round ones showing a border of contrasting color are both effective and durable.

Rag carpeting also comes now by the yard and by many persons is preferred to matting because of the way dust sifts through the latter. Rag stair carpeting is extremely pretty.

A floor covering which has cork in its composition has come into favor for bed and billiard rooms as well as dining rooms. It is rather thick and has some "give" and may be washed with soap and water as a bare floor. It is the common covering in many English nurseries owing to its hygienic qualities. The stuff comes in only a few plain colors and may serve as a back ground for rugs.

## Carving Meat.

To successfully carve meat one must know how to control the knife. When carving a slice of meat, after the first incision has been made, the angle at which the knife is held must never be altered, or a jagged slice will be the result.

The cut should be direct, sharp and incisive. The saw-like motion should not enter into the operation.

As a rule the knife should be held firmly but applied lightly, so that too much juice will not be squeezed out from the meat. By using the point of the knife lightly as a wedge and the fork as a lever, even a big fowl may be easily jointed, provided the carver is aware of how the joint is exactly situated and held together.

## Salmon, Epicurean Style.

Put two heaping tablespoonfuls of butter into a saucepan, add a sliced onion, sliced carrot, bunch of parsley and stalk of celery. Fry, and when slightly brown add two cupfuls of water, two cupfuls of white wine, and when boiling put in two pounds of salmon to boil till ready. Take out the fish, remove the skin from it, coat with melted butter and fine bread crumbs and set in a hot oven to brown a little. Meanwhile reduce the liquor in which it was boiled, then strain it and thicken with flour and butter, season with salt and pepper and serve separately with the fish.

## Caramel Pie.

Brown three-fourths of a cup of sugar, and a pint of sweet milk in which are dissolved two tablespoonfuls of flour, and stir until smooth. Whip in the well-beaten yolks of two eggs, and a tablespoonful of melted butter. Stir until thick, then take from the fire. Add vanilla to taste and pour into an open crust that has been already baked. When the filling is baked drop on top of the pie spoonfuls of the whites that have been whipped light with a little sugar. The effect is pretty.

## Bananas a La West.

Strip the peel from any number of bananas, being careful to remove all the fine bitter strings. Halve each crosswise, dip into sweetened lemon juice, then roll in finely-chopped nuts. Lay on a buttered pan and bake in a very hot oven until they can be easily pierced with a fork; this will take about twelve minutes. Serve either hot or cold.

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Answer—Cause they don't light it up until after dark.

**The Stomach Hold.**  
General H. N. Renouf, at the "Old Guard" banquet at Delmonico's, emphasized the importance to an army of a good commissariat.

"You have perhaps heard," he said, "of the company of privates that a particular lady entertained one Memorial Day to dinner."

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"Dessert, sergeant?" she said to the stalwart young soldier at the head of the table.

"Dessert?" the sergeant answered. "When I can get eats like this for me?" "Nixie! Not me!"

**Incorruptible.**  
The lady of the house bestrated. "Are my answers all right?" she asked. "Yes, madam," replied the census man. "Didn't bother you a bit, did it?" "No madam." "Feel under some obligations to me, don't you?" "Yes, madam." "Then, perhaps, you won't mind telling me how old the woman next door claims to be?" "Good day, madam," said the census man.

**Didn't Care for Expenses.**  
They were seated at the breakfast table. "John, dear," said the young wife, "this is my birthday." "I'm glad you mentioned it, darling," rejoined her husband. "I'll buy you a present the first thing when I get downtown." "Well," she said, "I hope you won't get any cheap 98-cent affair." "Of course I won't," he replied. "Why, I would be ashamed to present you with anything that cost less than a dollar."

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Filmer—How did it happen that those five men who were so angry with the woman in the nickleodeon for not taking off her hat became so friendly with her afterward?  
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"Faith," said he to Con Meehan, the toime th' bhly was down an' out, "Faith, this side av paradise 'list all beginnin' again, over an' over, an' tin toime over!"  
"An' that keen," continued Mr. Murphy, "'twas niver worth while to keep back part av th' price av th' land! Wid a twinkle in his eye he'd see clean through anny Ananias that iver walked."  
"An' gin'rous!" Mr. Murphy's voice dropped to a lower key and his eyes were wet as he added, "His hand was always in his pocket, an' whin they prepared him f'r burial they found his right arm longer than his left wid stretchin' it out to th' poor."—Youth's Companion.

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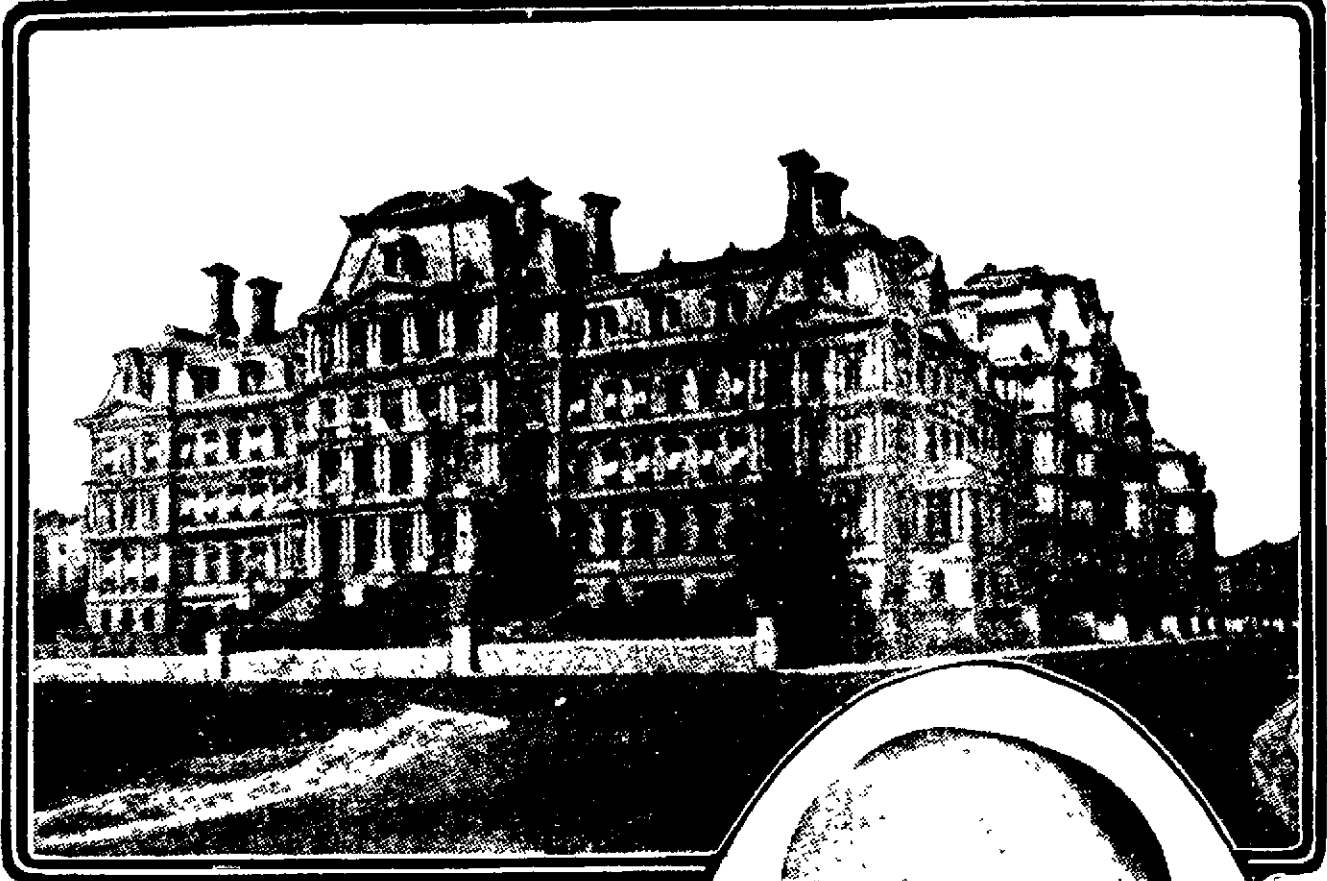
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THE state, war and navy building which houses, as its name suggests, the three great departments of the government, is at once the most interesting and the least interesting to visitors of all Washington's great public structures. There are secrets in hundreds locked up in the breasts of the officials of the three departments, and in written, printed and photographic form, locked up in the office vaults.

In a sense the building is the least interesting because the outward manifestation of matters of the government is not in the least showy. It is the most interesting from the curiosity point of view because all visitors find themselves speculating as to what great state and war matters are concerning the officials whose lips are sealed, and whose actions often betray unconsciously the fact that they are burden bearers of mystery.

It was not long ago that the name of Jefferson Davis, at one time secretary of war, and afterward president of the Confederacy was recut into the aqueduct bridge which was planned at the time that he was secretary of war. Years ago the name was chiseled out because of the pitch of feeling that existed in the north against Davis' action in advocating secession and in heading the Confederacy of the southern states. Feeling died away and lately the name was restored for the sake of historic accuracy and also to mark the coming of an era of good feeling.

On the wall of the room outside the private office of Secretary of War Jacob M. Dickinson, are at least 50 portraits of former secretaries and among them is the picture of Jefferson Davis, the champion of the Confederacy. The painting has hung there unchallenged for many years and it will remain there, barring the accident of fire, for all time to come. It is by far the best painting in the room as a work of art, and persons who do not recognize the features of Davis ask almost instantly:



STATE, WAR AND NAVY BUILDING



day may be forced into the position of a combatant.

The course that is followed by the United States government in making plans to conduct a war in case war comes is the course followed by every great country of the world, and so no nation can take offense because it is known that the United States outlines plans to meet another country on the field, or on the high seas of conflict. War games are played yearly in the army and navy "classrooms" of all the great countries of the world, and while they are called games, they have a certain grimness about them that is not at all playful.

War with Great Britain is the remotest kind of possibility, and yet a board of naval officers and a board of army officers have prepared plans which will be put into service, unless the lapse of time renders them useless, in case such a conflict shall occur. The same statement holds true of preparations for possible trouble with France, Germany, Italy, Spain, Japan, Russia and all the other great countries, and with countries of less degree of strength, importance and population.

Comparatively recently when it became known that it would be necessary to reconquer Cuba, the order for reconquest came suddenly. While no one knew it definitely, every preparation for just such a contingency had been made by the army board, and as soon as the order was issued, transports were ready and certain troops were designated for foreign service, and they were sent at once "to the front" properly equipped and with every arrangement made for their travel and their subsistence and with every plan made for their course of procedure when in the island.

Some time ago when it seemed likely that because of the activities of President Castro of Venezuela, this country might have difficulty with the South American republic, a republic in little more than in name, it would have been possible to have invaded Venezuela with an armed force and to have done it without much preliminary preparation. Every inch of the Venezuela country likely to be traversed by an invading army was known to the American authorities. The roads were known, and every point of vantage and disadvantage was known. It had been said that it would have been practically impossible for a foreign force to reach Castro in his fastness, but the situation and all its difficulties was understood, and it was the belief of the war game students in the great Washington building which stands opposite the White House, that Castro could be brought to terms quickly, even though it must be done by a comparatively small force sent from a great distance.

While the members of the general staff of the army make preparations for all demands that may be made on the service in case war should come, it is what is known as the war college which works out the actual problems of warfare. Officers are detailed as students at the war college and while various kinds of work are set for them to do, the most important is that of engaging in a war game inside the four walls of the room, a game which one day may have for the scene of its action, territory thousands of miles in extent. One of the last plays which occupied the attention of the

army officers was one which assumed the possibility that the Japanese were intending to land on the Pacific coast. Over at Newport, Rhode Island, the naval war college had worked out the problem which would confront the navy if the Japanese fleet had succeeded in reaching the Pacific coast. Of course there were two answers to the problem and one involved the defeat and the scattering of the Japanese ships. The army officers gave consideration only to the condition which would arise if the Japanese navy had overmatched ours, and the Japanese had succeeded in landing a great army on the Pacific coast.

In working out these war games, officers are detailed to represent the enemy and others to represent the forces of this country. The "moves" in the game are watched and umpires decide which has the better of the matter. When the game has been finished the various moves, if they are deemed to be successful from the viewpoint of America, become a part of the plans which are recommended for adoption in case the war game becomes a dire reality.

In the war and navy building there are naval secrets. Once on a time a magazine contained an article which said in effect there had been great changes in the building of our battleships and cruisers. The article met with some approval and some disapproval at the hands of the naval experts. One statement in it was to the effect that when our battleships were not heavily laden the heavy armor plate was above water and that consequently a part of the hull, the most vulnerable part made a fair and unprotected target for the enemy's guns.

In making the comparison, the writer of the article said that one of the great British warships, the one most recently launched and considered the most formidable, was protected by her heavy armor plate no matter whether she was heavily laden or light laden. It was stated that this dreadnought's heavy armor plate extended below the water line at all times and the intimation was that the statement could not be disproved.

As soon as this article appeared inquiry was made at the navy department concerning the truth of the story that our ships were unprotected at certain times by their heavy armor plate and that the reverse was true of one of the British dreadnoughts.

From a dark recess in a vault there was brought forth a photograph which had been secured of the British ship which had been used for the comparison. The photograph took all the strength out of the written statement.

It is probable that in all the navy departments of the world there are photographs of the warships of other nations. These are not hard to obtain for they are on sale everywhere, but there are photographs taken under certain conditions which are not supposed to be in common circulation. Some of these photographs show ships at a disadvantage, and they are of service to the naval authorities of countries which one day may engage in warfare. It is probable that a good supply of photographs of this kind taken of foreign vessels is in the possession of the United States authorities.

The state, war and navy building has its secrets, and while the show places in the structure are not many, there is a sense of interest and mystery which appeals to the visitors when they wander through the corridors. At time of war this building is the scene of the greatest activity, for the three departments which it houses are those which have to do with warfare in its very essence. The state department in perilous times has a work no less important than the work which falls to the lot of the army and navy.

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